



# Dengue

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# Case Review

- Traveled to India October 12 – 28, 2012
  - Delhi Oct 12 – 17 and 22 – 26, urban area only
  - No malaria prophylaxis, no bednets
- Oct. 28 became ill (headache, mild malaise)
- Oct. 29: worsening headache, chills, rigors, abdominal discomfort. No nausea/vomiting
  - Smear negative for malaria
  - Platelet count 140K, WBC low

# Case Review

- Oct. 30: Aches increasing in shoulders, hips and knees, recurrent chills and rigors
  - Oral temperature 100°F
- Oct. 31: continuing chills and moderate arthralgias, severe malaise/lethargy
  - Platelet count 117K, abnormal LFTs
- Nov. 2: Presented to ER for admission: RUQ pain, chills, no fever
  - Platelet count: 15K
  - Petechial rash
- Nov 2 – 4: hospital stay, platelet transfusion
  - Platelets 25K at discharge
- Convalescence 3 – 4 weeks dominated by fatigue and malaise



# Petechial Rash





# Dengue History

- First clinical description credited to Dr. Benjamin Rush following epidemic of fever in Philadelphia in the summer of 1780
  - “This fever generally came on with rigor, but seldom with a regular chilly fit. . . . The pains which accompanied this fever were exquisitely severe in the head, back, and limbs. The pains in the head were sometimes in the back parts of it, and at other times they occupied only the eyeballs.”

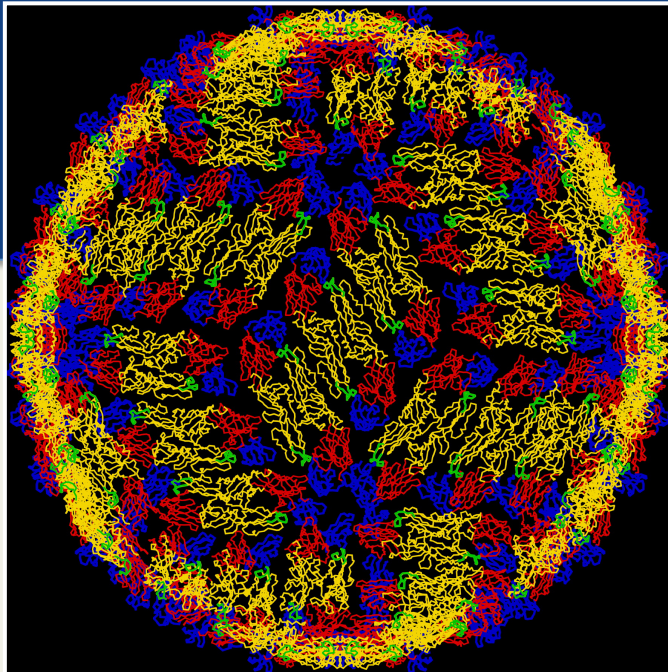
# Dengue: Background

- Member of the *Flaviviridae* family, genus flavivirus
  - Four DENV serotypes
    - DENV-1
    - DENV-2
    - DENV-3
    - DENV-4
- Positive-sense RNA virus
  - Naked RNA is infectious
- E (envelope) protein is protective

# Dengue – member of Flavivirus family

Serocomplexes	Number of Serogroups	Serious Disease Manifestation
Dengue Virus	4	Dengue Fever, DHS/DSS
Japanese Enceph. (JE, WN, KUN, MVE, SLE)	4	Encephalitis
Yellow Fever	1	Encephalitis, Hepatitis
Tick-borne Enceph. (CEEV, FEEV, Langat)	1	Encephalitis





## E Protein

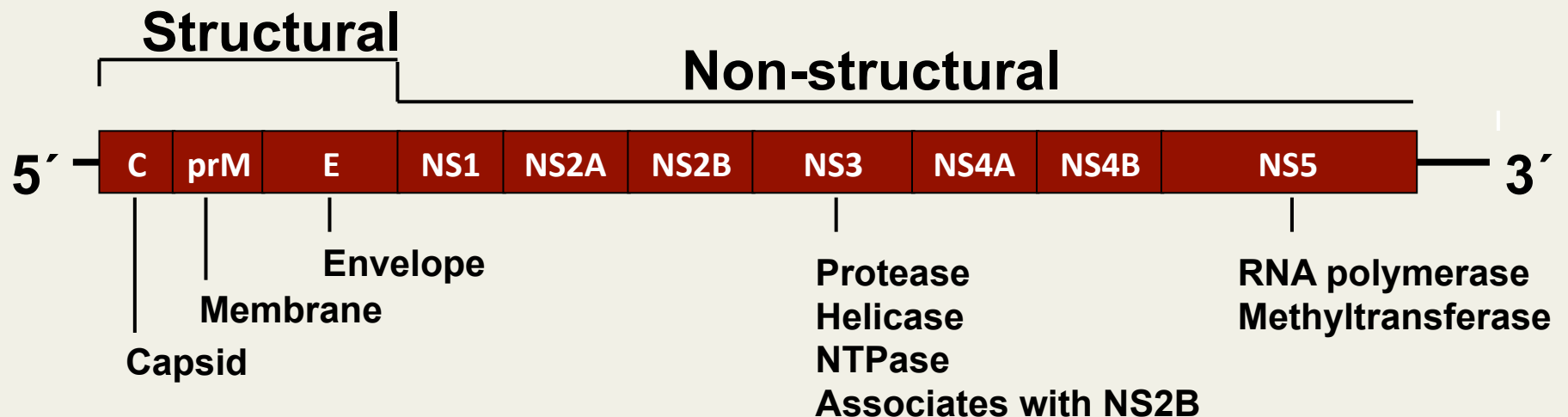
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Domain II: yellow

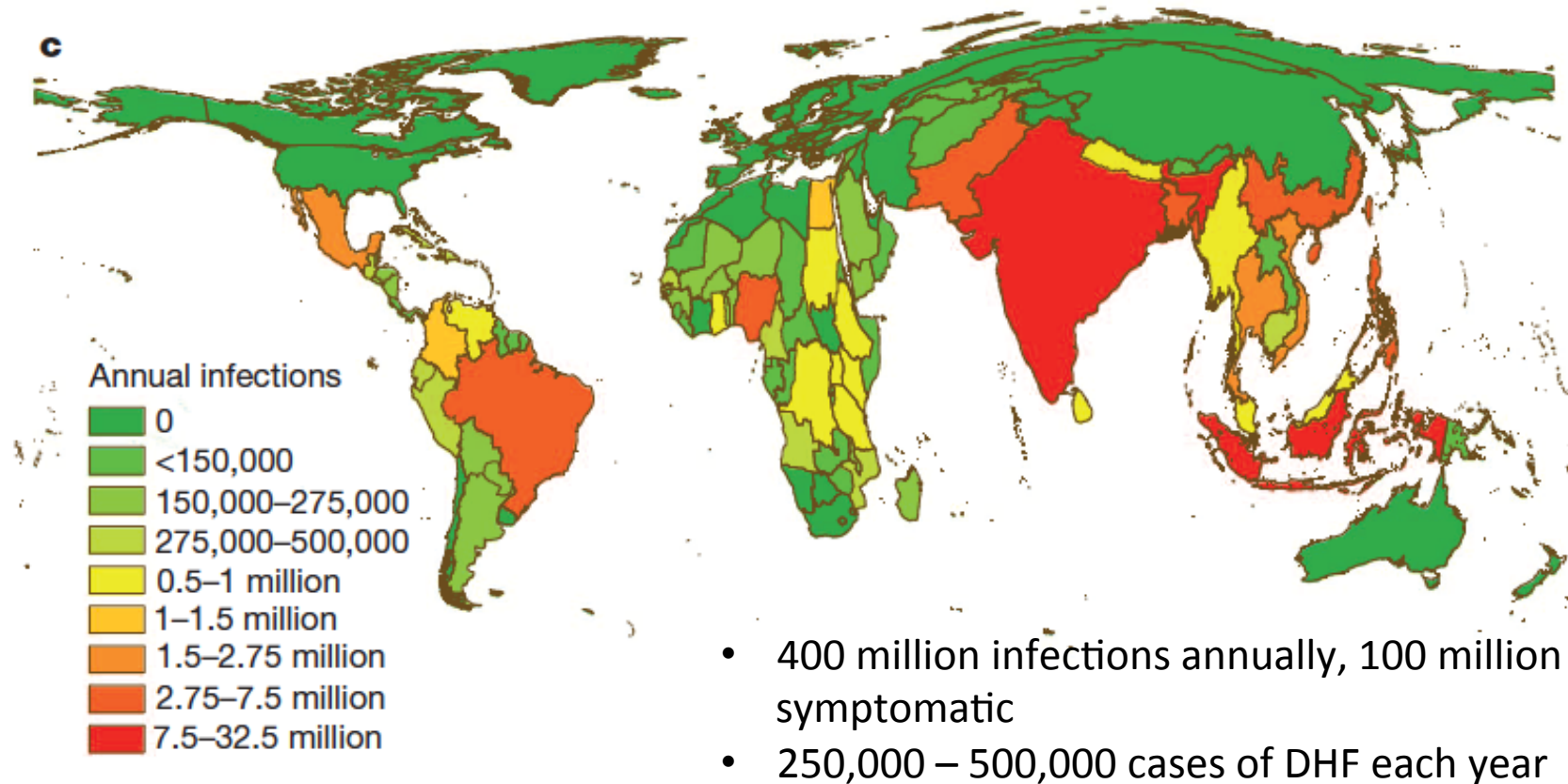
Domain III: blue

Fusion Peptide: green

Source: Kuhn, et al. Cell. 2002 Mar 8;108(5):717-25.



# Annual Burden of Dengue



Bhatt et al, Nature 2013

# Dengue

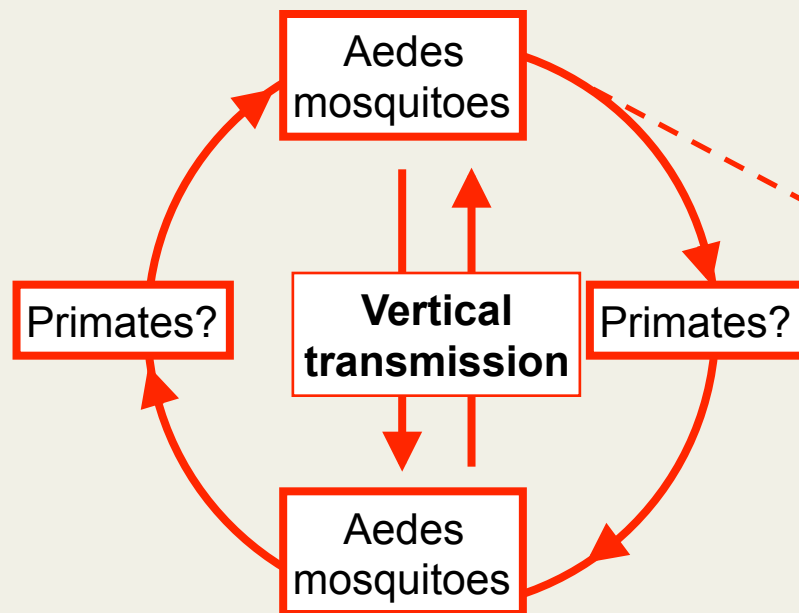
- Each serotype provides long-term homotypic immunity but only short-term heterotypic immunity
- **Antibody to E protein protective**
- There is genetic variation within serotypes
- Some genetic variants within each serotype may be more virulent or have greater epidemic potential than other variants



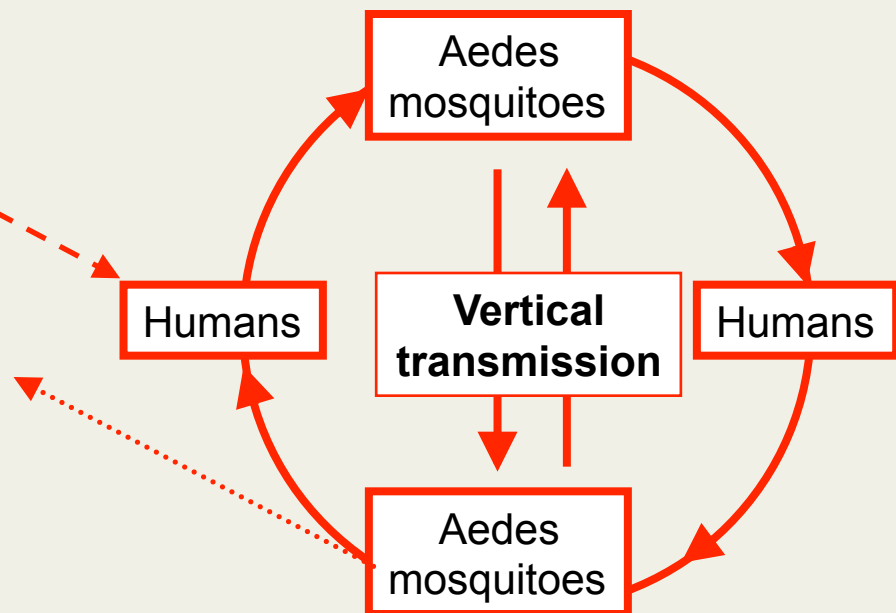
# Epidemiology

# Dengue Virus - Transmissibility

## Sylvatic / Enzootic



## Epidemic



# Aedes Aegypti

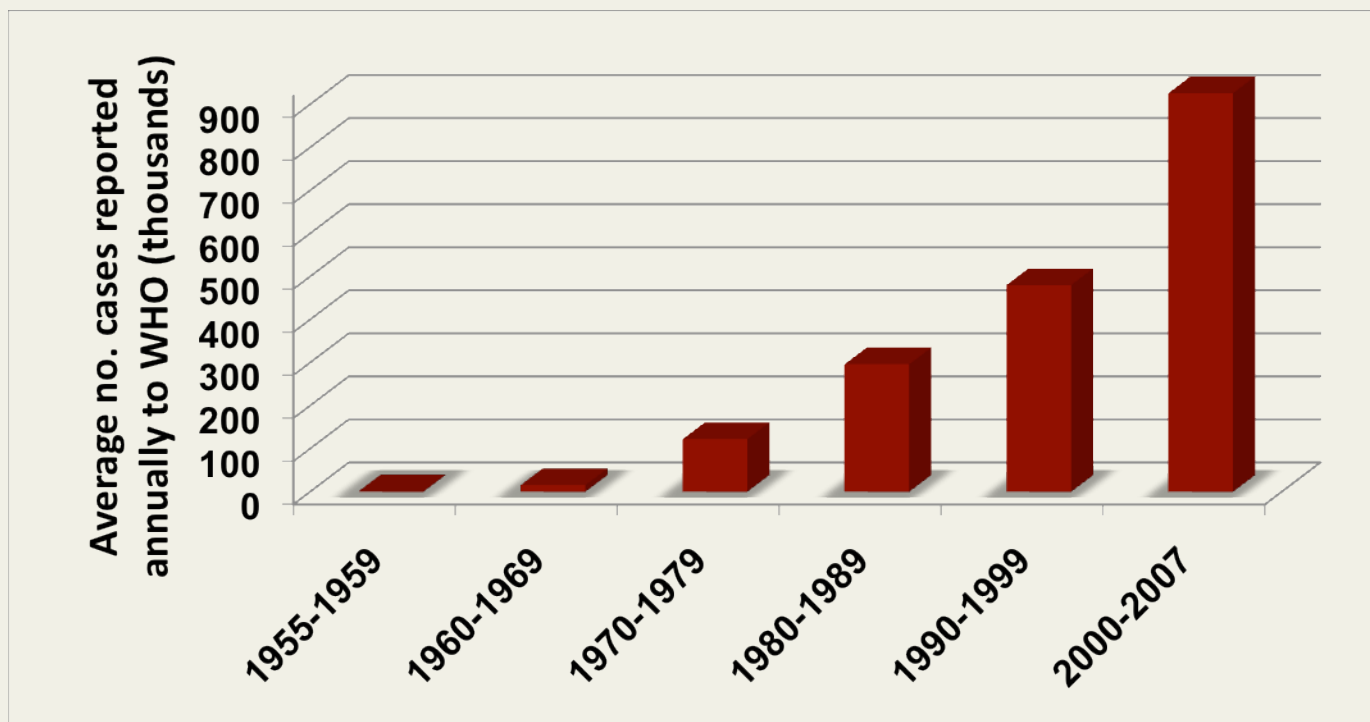




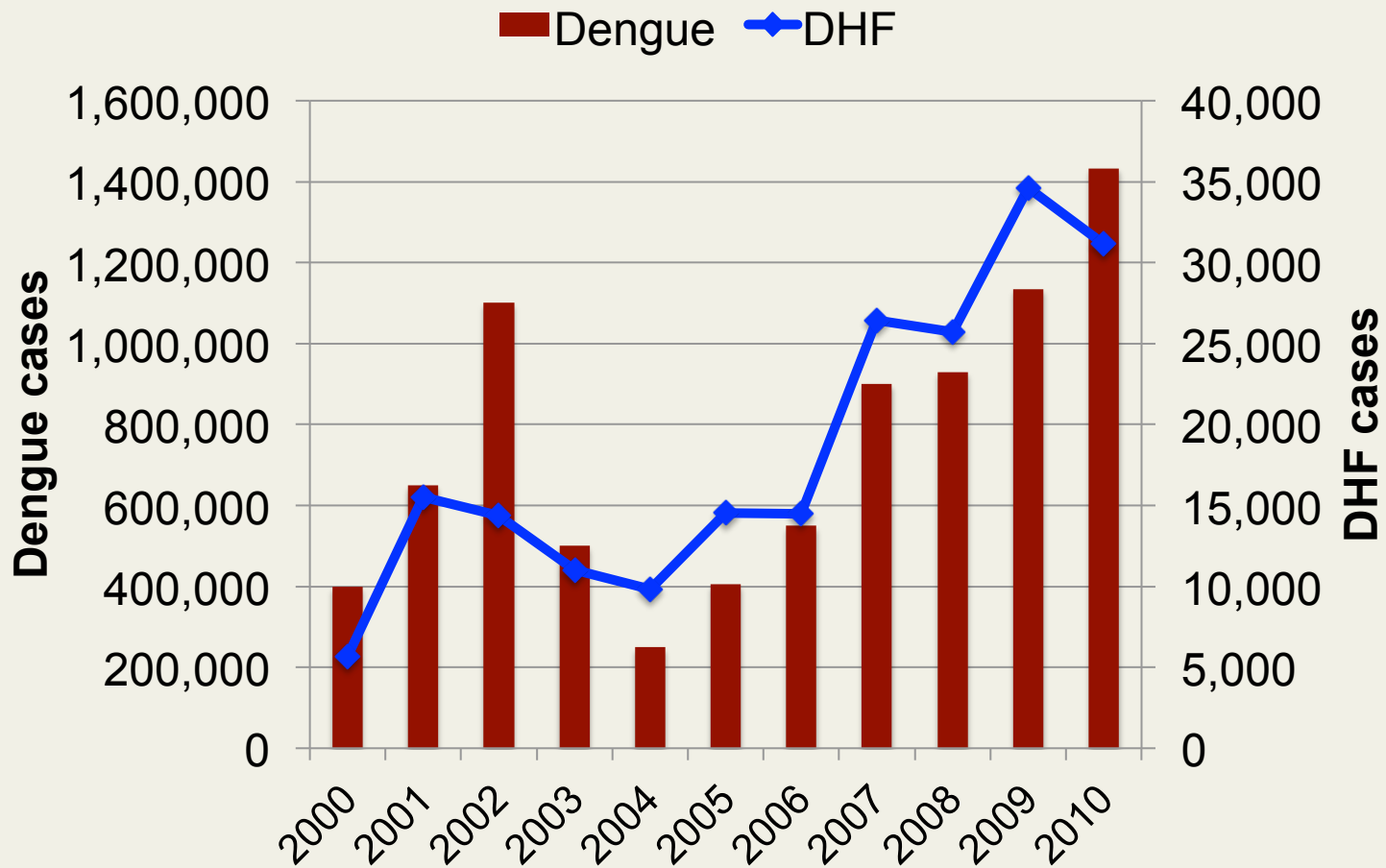
# Dengue - Global Resurgence

- Decline in vector eradication programs
  - Ineffective mosquito control in most dengue-endemic countries
  - Ultra-low volume (ULV) spraying of insecticide for adult mosquito control
- Uncontrolled urbanization
  - Inadequate water, sewer, & waste management
  - Increased use of non-biodegradable packaging
- Increased world travel by airplane
- Hyperendemicity-multiple serotypes present

# Reported cases of DHF/DSS & death



# A decade of dengue in the Americas





# Recent Dengue Outbreaks

- Hawaii - 2001 (DEN-1)
  - 118 Cases
- Brazil - 2002
  - 791,192 cases; 2,617 DHF; 145 deaths
- Mexico -Texas border - 2005
  - 1,251 cases, 223 (17.8%) DHF
- Brazil 2008
  - 734,384 cases; 9,957 DHF; 212 deaths
- Brazil 2010
  - 1,004,392 cases; 16,540 severe; 673 deaths
- India 2012
  - ~35,000 cases and ~ 300 deaths

# Dengue Resurgence

 COMMENTARY

CLINICIAN'S CORNER

JAMA, January 9/16, 2008 Vol. 299

## Dengue and Hemorrhagic Fever A Potential Threat to Public Health in the United States

David M. Morens, MD

Anthony S. Fauci, MD

tries, most notably in Thailand, has greatly reduced case-fatality rates.<sup>11</sup> The economic and social effects of dengue are also enormous because the disease tends to occur in ex-

*Centers for Disease Control and Prevention*

# MMWR

Morbidity and Mortality Weekly Report

Weekly / Vol. 59 / No. 19

May 21, 2010

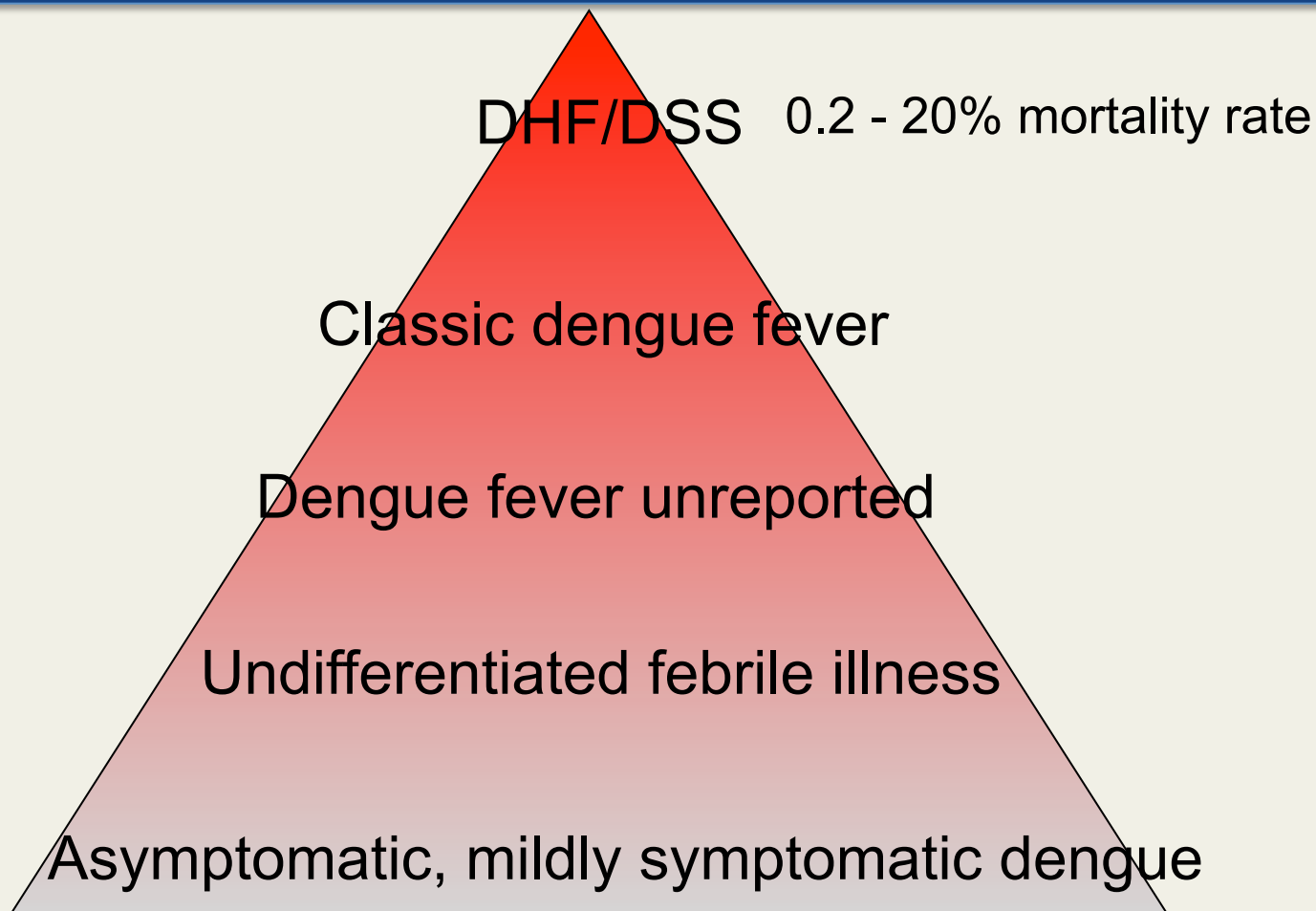
**Locally Acquired Dengue — Key West, Florida, 2009–2010**

# Dengue Illness

# Dengue

- DF can range from asymptomatic or mild disease (majority) to incapacitating illness
- Easily confused with other febrile illnesses
- More severe forms of disease - dengue hemorrhagic fever (DHF) and dengue shock syndrome (DSS)
- DHF/DSS - Mortality rate can range from 0.2% (treated) to as high as 20% (untreated)

# Dengue Spectrum of illness





# Dengue - spectrum of illness

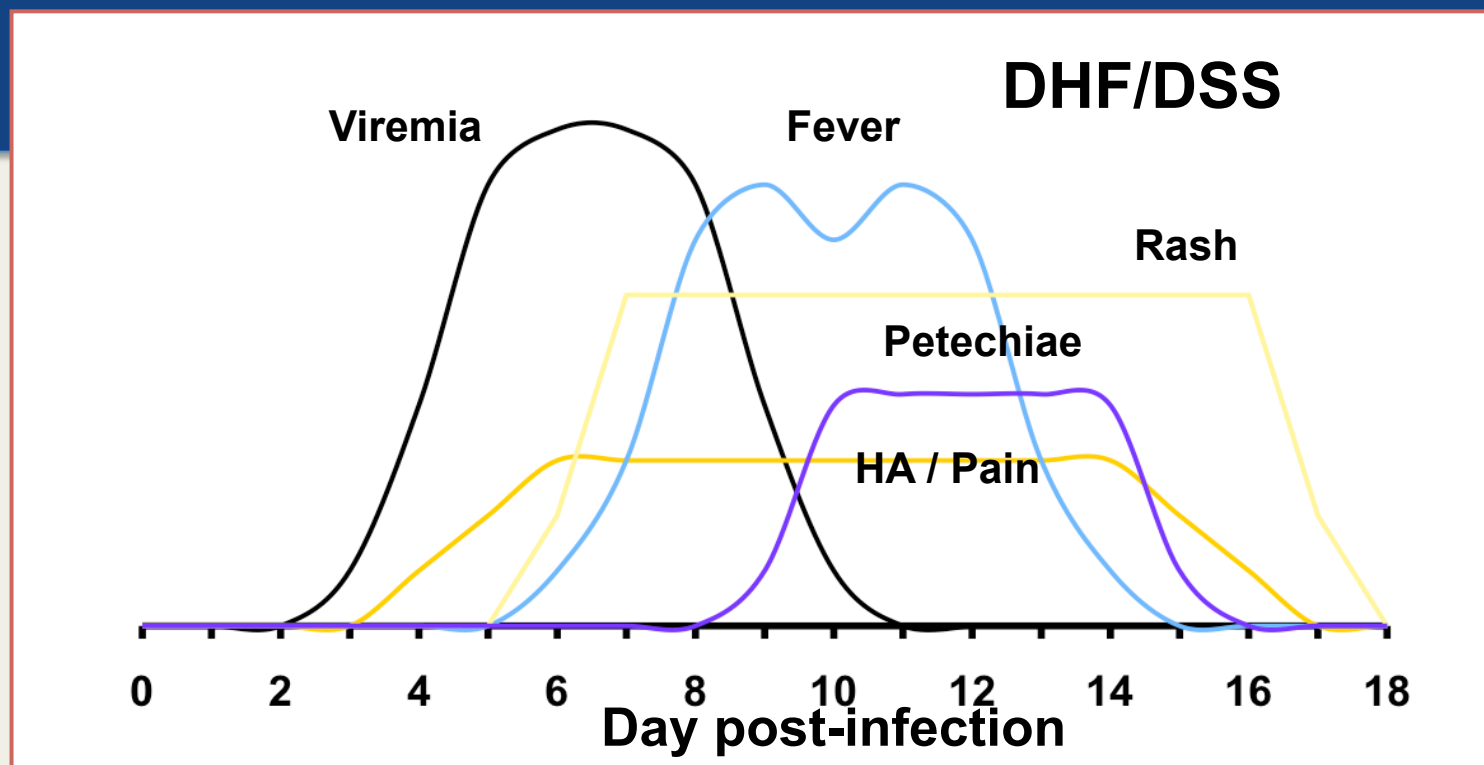
- Classic dengue fever
  - Generally disease of adults
  - Children less symptomatic
- Dengue hemorrhagic fever/shock syndrome
  - Occurs most commonly in 2° infection
  - Generally disease of children < 15 years
  - Occurs in areas hyperendemic for dengue

# Dengue Fever: spectrum of illness

- Acute Febrile Illness
- Frontal HA, retro-orbital pain
- Muscle and joint pain  
(breakbone fever)
- Rash
- Neutropenia

# Typical clinical course of DF/DHF/DSS

DF:



DHF: Hemorrhagic phenomena - petechiae, bruising, bleeding  
Hemoconcentration / hypovolemia  
Hepatomegaly  
Thrombocytopenia / Neutropenia

DSS: Rapid weak pulse  
Narrowing of the pulse pressure  
Circulatory failure: skin cools, cyanosis, shock



# Dengue Rash



CID 2004: 38 (15 May)



Moxon, C. Adv Exp Med Biol  
2008;609:131-44

# DHF/DSS: old WHO criteria

- Dengue hemorrhagic fever: Dengue *plus*
  - Minor or major bleeding (positive tourniquet test)
  - Platelet count  $< 100,000$
  - Evidence of plasma leakage by relative hemoconcentration or by the development of pleural effusion
- Dengue Shock Syndrome (DSS)
  - All the features of DHF *plus*
  - Evidence of cardiovascular compromise due to leakage (pulse pressure  $\leq 20$ mm Hg or hypotension for age with reduced perfusion)
- Criteria under criticism as patient can be extremely ill without meeting the above definitions

# New Dengue Criteria

- Group A: May be sent home
  - Can tolerate oral fluids & do not have warning signs
- Group B: Referred for in-hospital management
  - Patient has warning signs
  - Patient has co-existing condition that may make management more difficult
- Group C: Requires emergency treatment (severe dengue)
  - Severe plasma leakage
  - Severe hemorrhages
  - Severe organ impairment

# Warning signs

- Clinical
  - Abdominal pain or tenderness
  - Persistent vomiting
  - Clinical fluid accumulation
  - Mucosal bleed
  - Lethargy, restlessness
  - Liver enlargement > 2 cm
- Laboratory
  - Increase in HCT concurrent with rapid decrease in platelet count



# DHF-bleeding manifestations



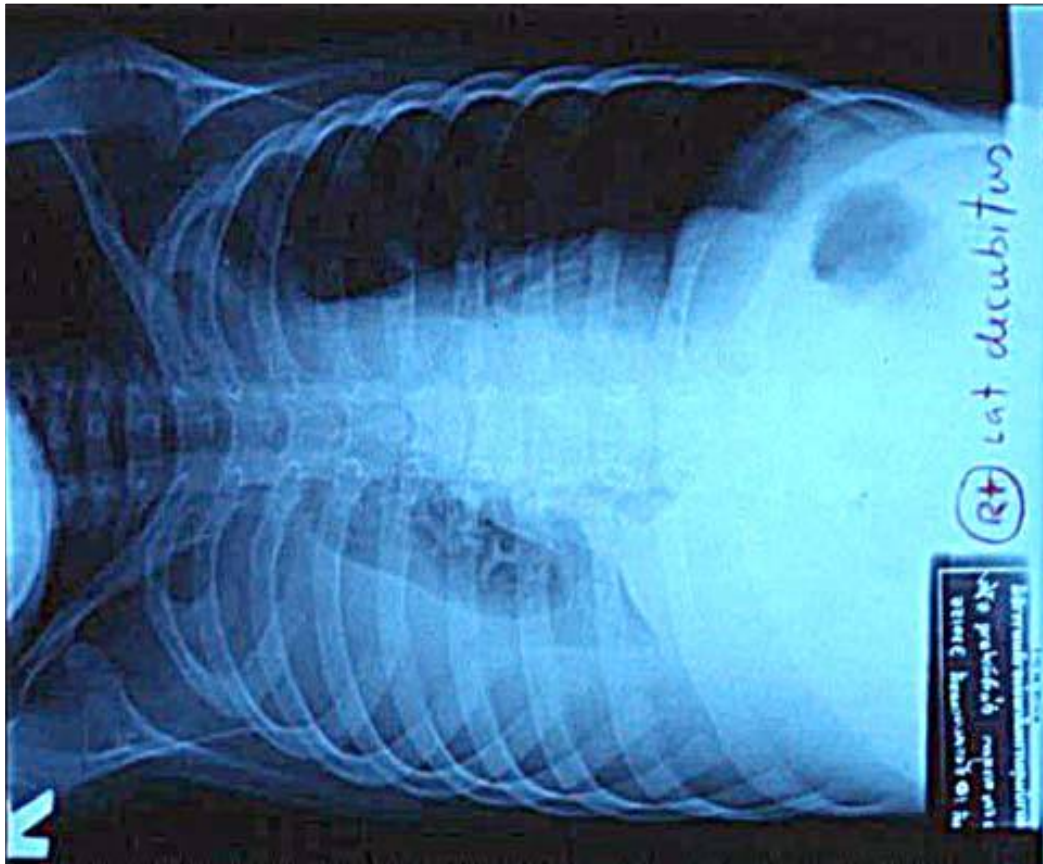
← Petechial rash



Area of  
ecchymosis



# DHF/Plasma Leakage



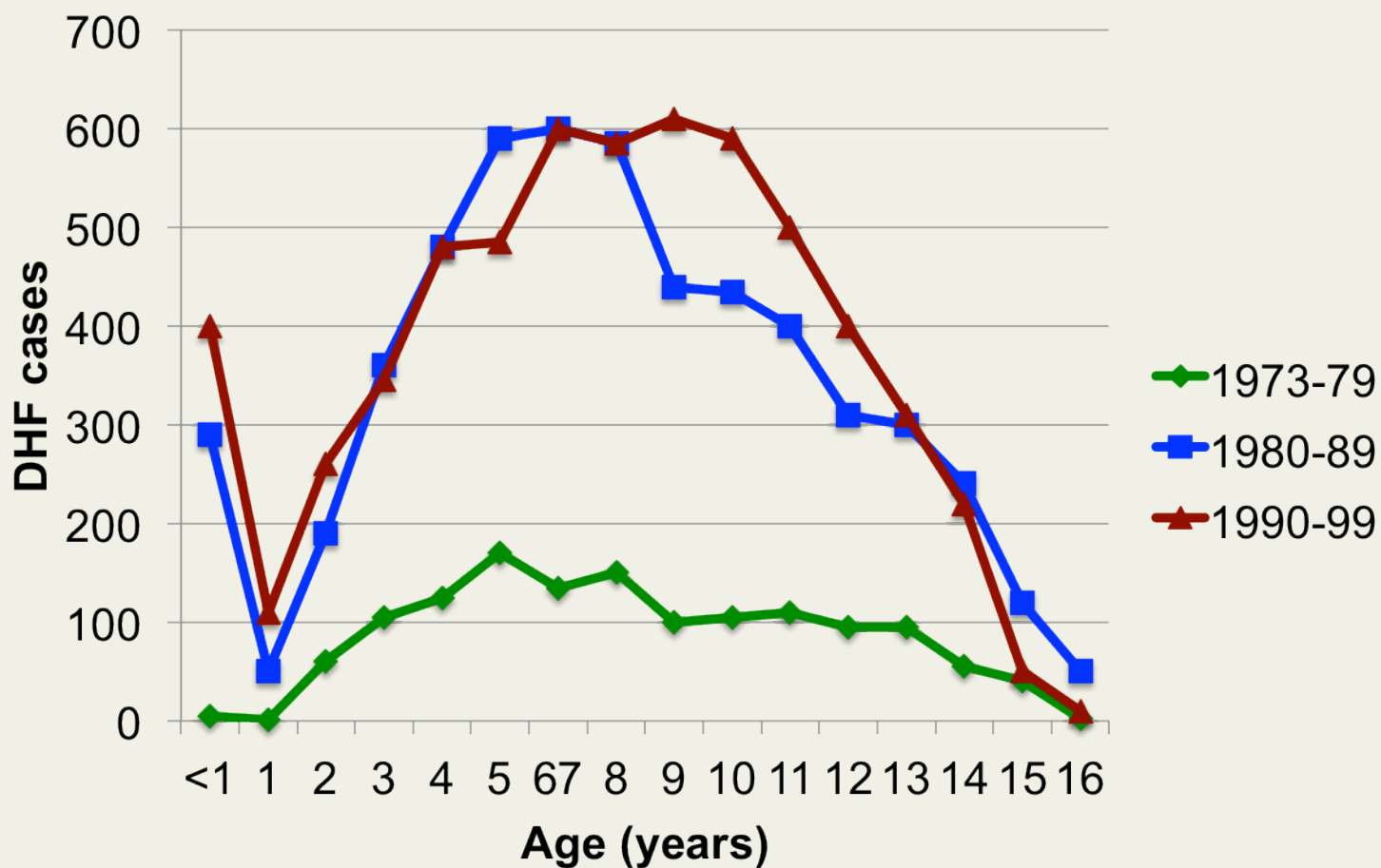
# Diagnosis of Dengue

- Diagnosis is made clinically
- Confirmation of diagnosis requires
  - Isolation of virus (culture, PCR, NS1)
  - Serology
    - PRNT
    - ELISA

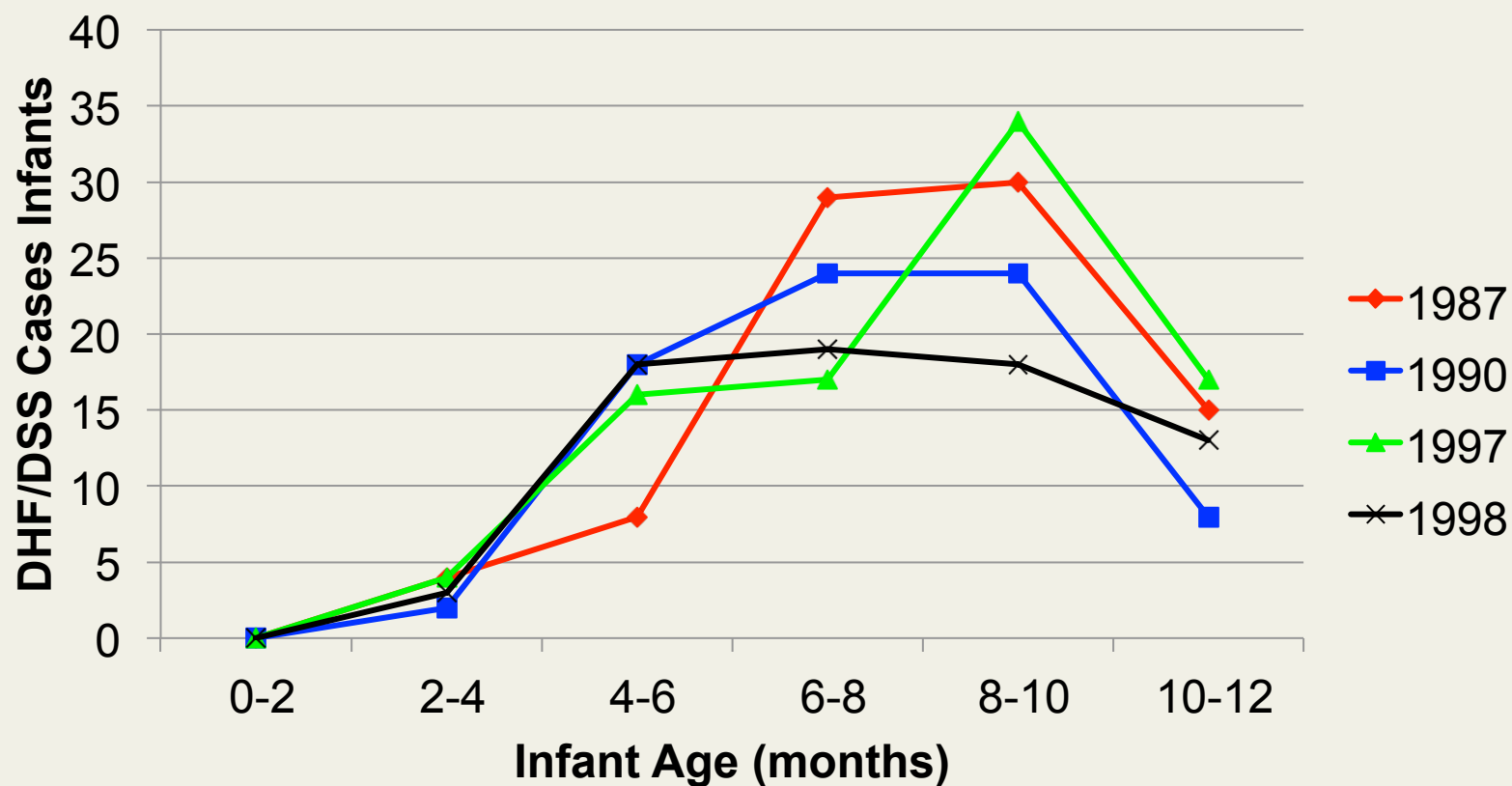
# Management of dengue

- Careful management can reduce mortality rate from ~ 20% to < 1%
- Fluid resuscitation is the mainstay of treatment for DHF/DSS
  - If fluid resuscitation not instituted promptly, signs of cardiovascular decompensation progress rapidly
  - With appropriate volume replacement and good supportive care, patients do well
  - Should use isotonic crystalloid solutions
- Avoid nonsteroidal anti-inflammatory agents (ant-platelet effect)

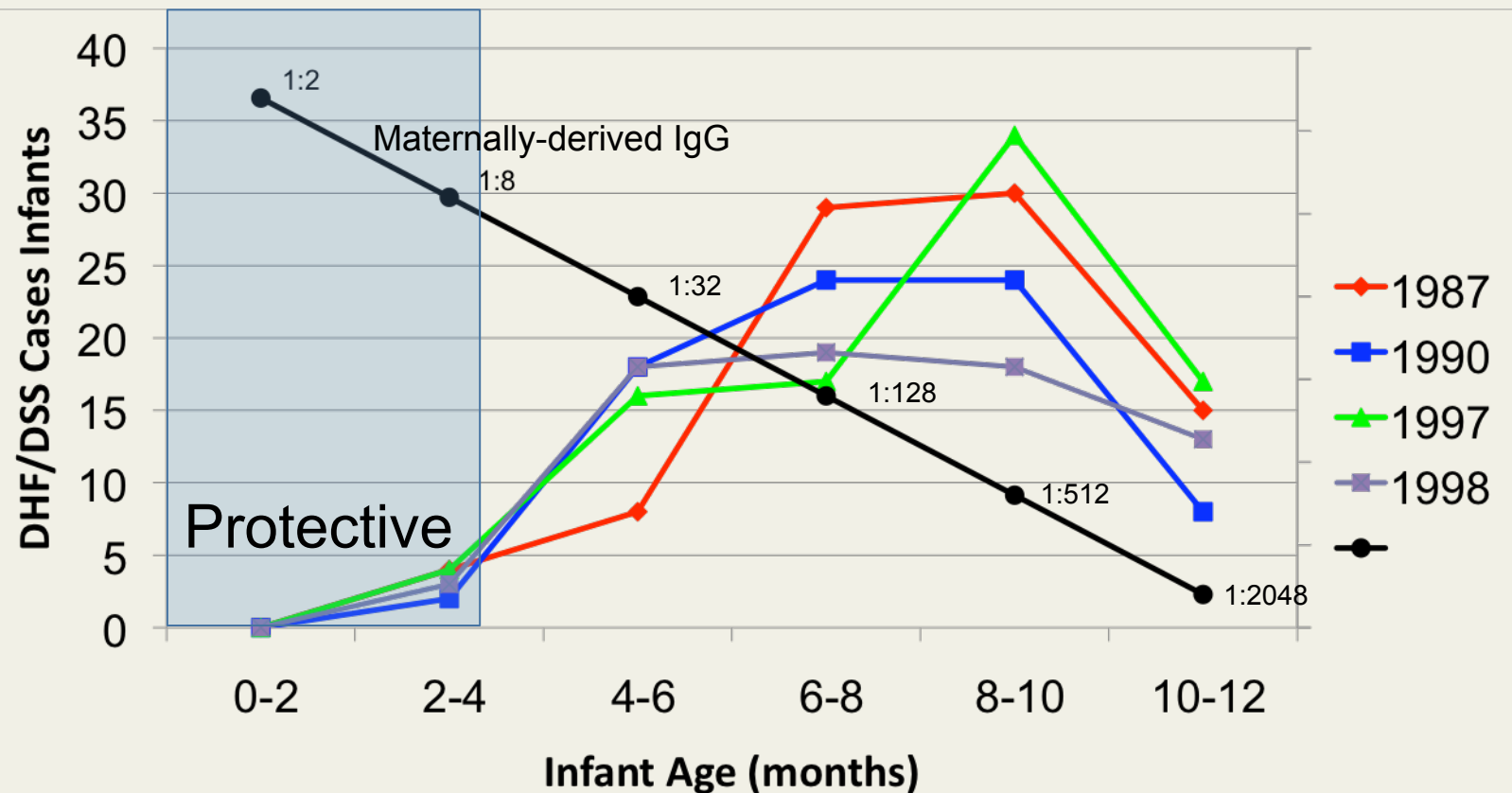
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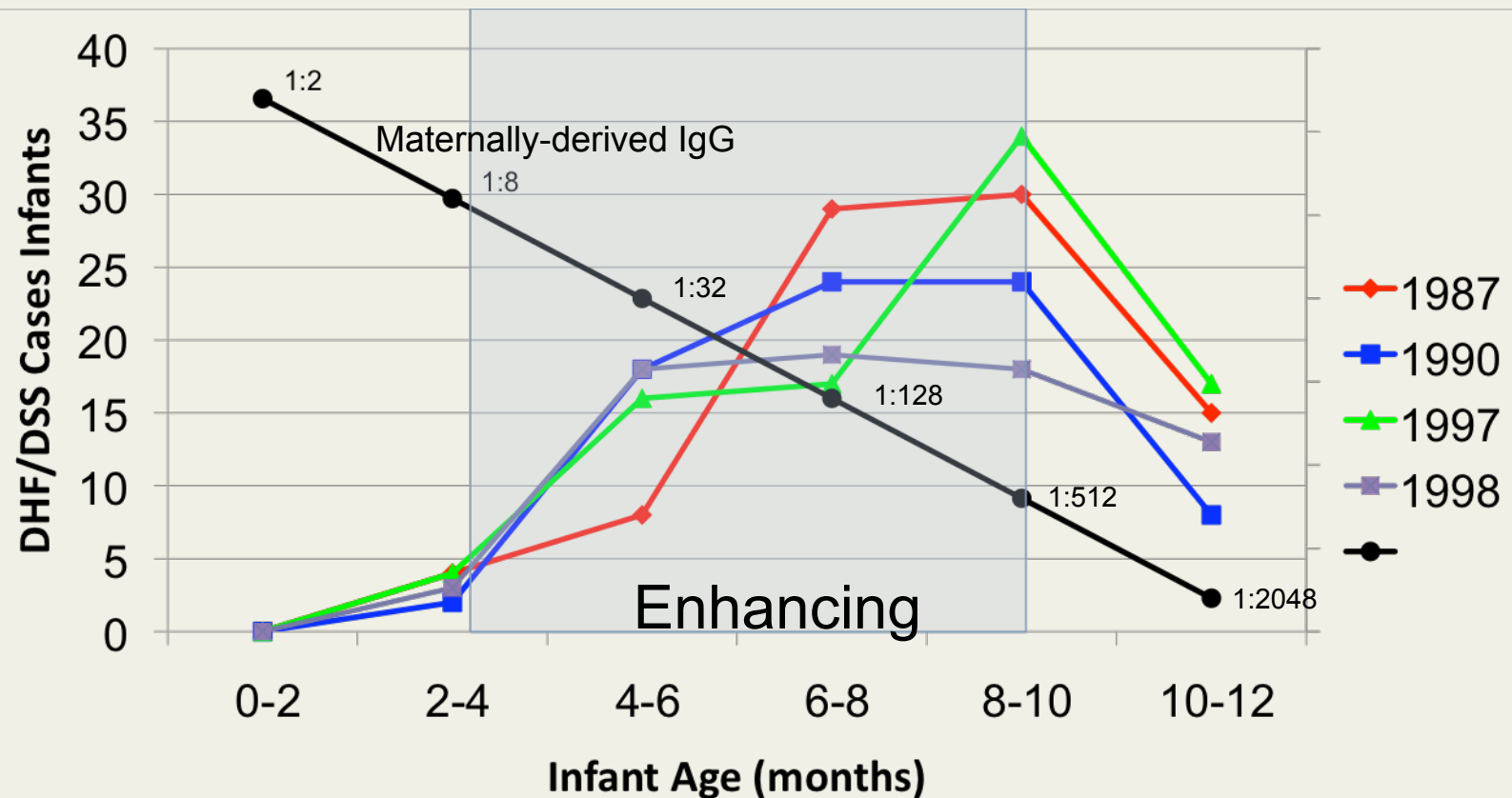
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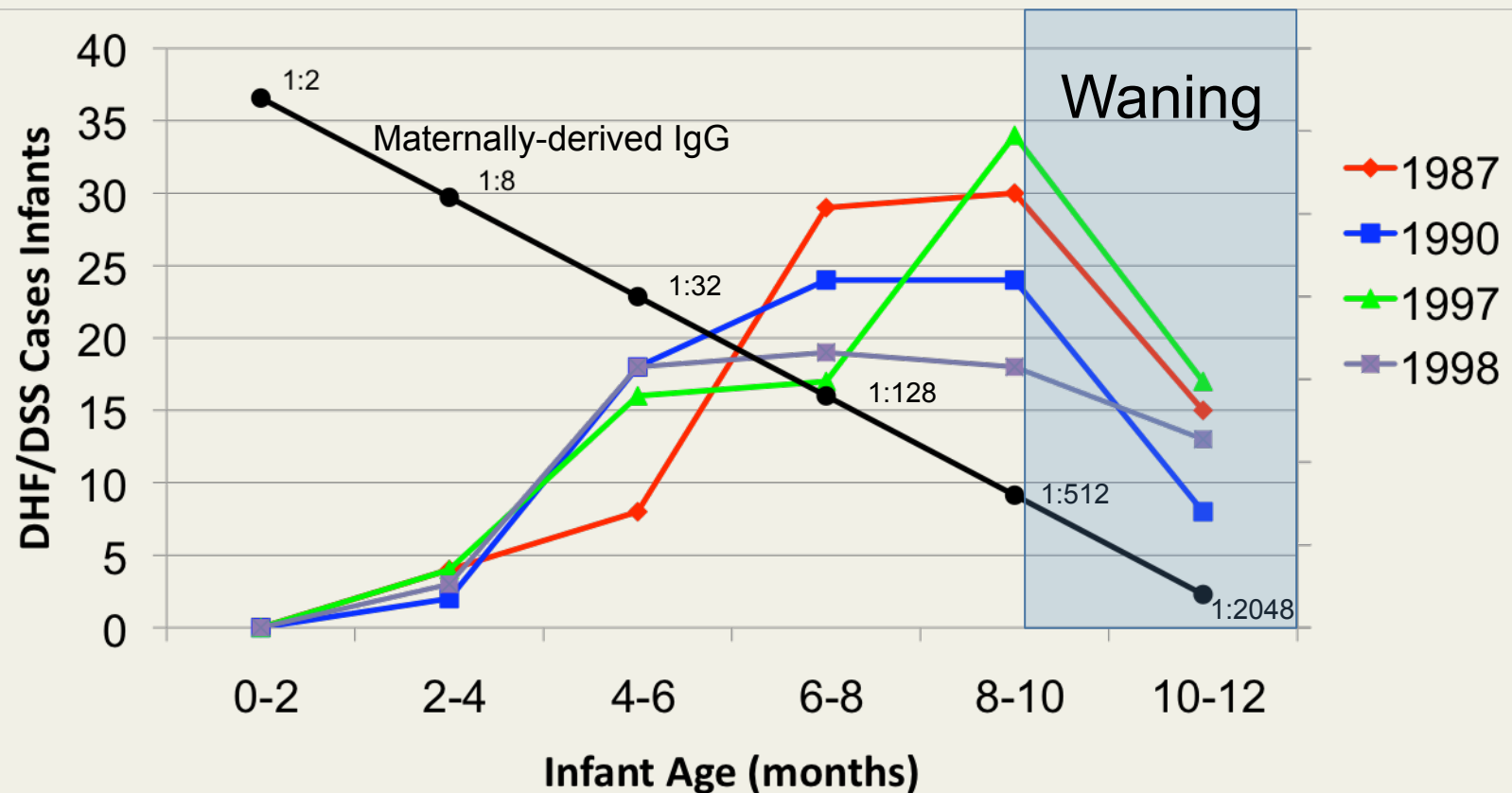
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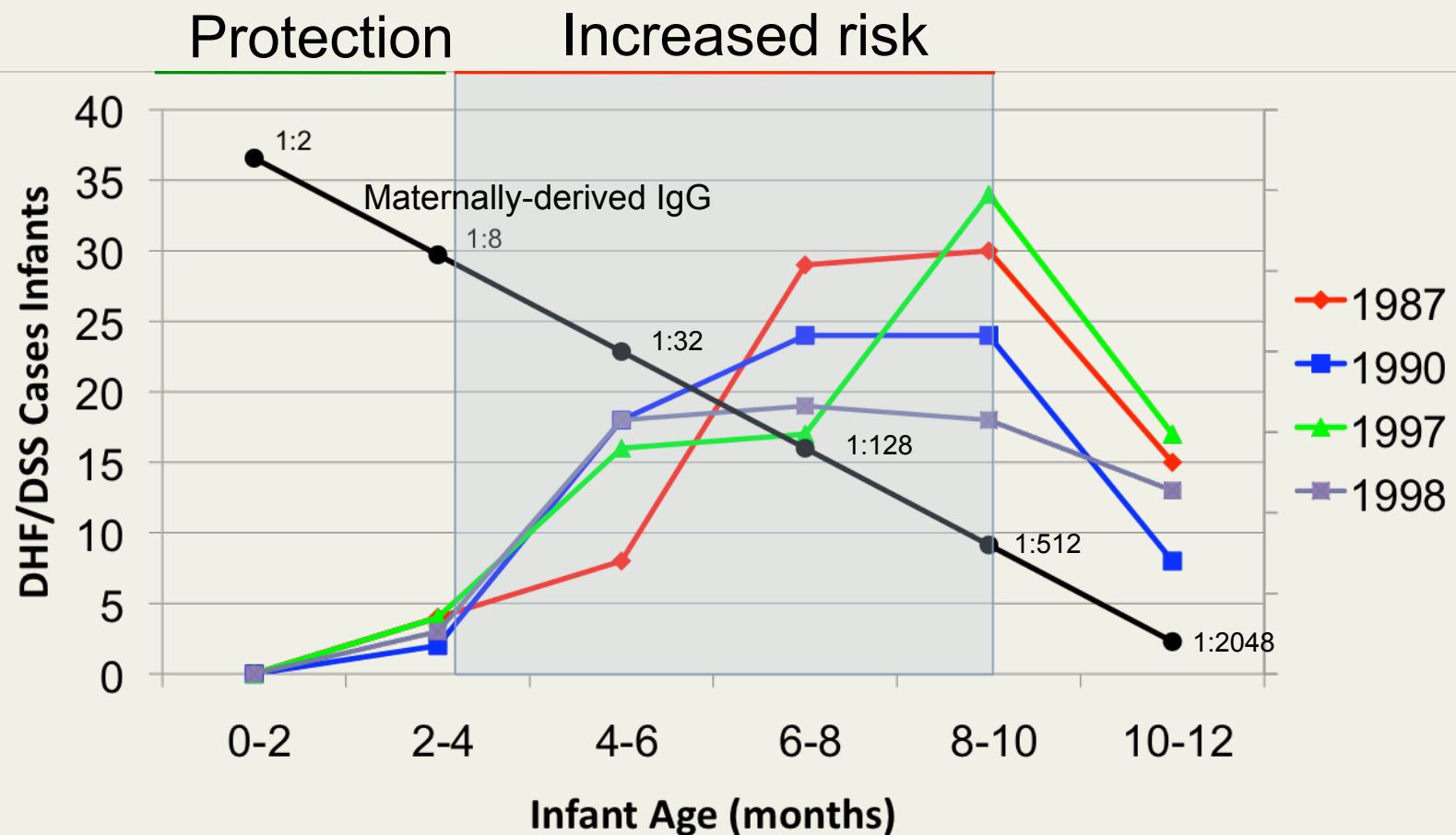


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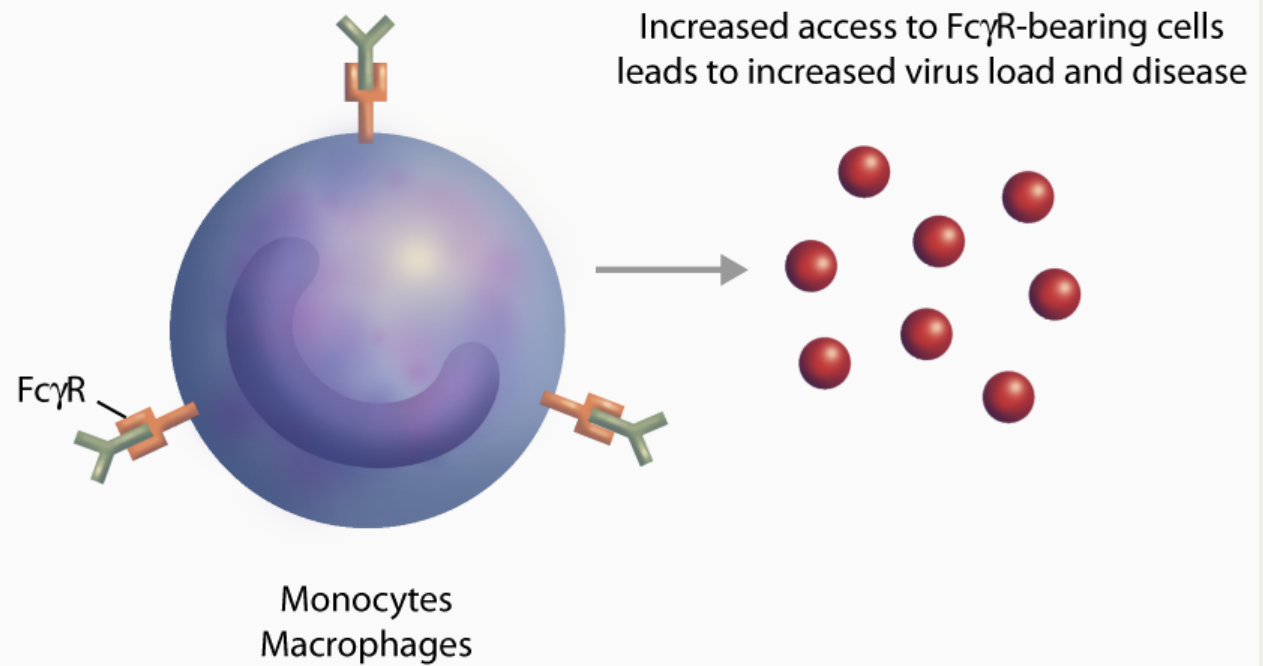


# DHF/DSS: Risk Factors

- Secondary infections
  - RR=15 for DHF, RR=50-100 for DSS
- Enhancing antibody
- Age restricted mostly to pediatric group
- Circulation of multiple virus serotypes

# Antibody dependent enhancement

- ? Predisposes to DHF/DSS
- Pre-existing cross-reactive antibodies assist virus in entering macrophages via Fc-receptor
- Majority of cases are in secondary dengue infections and in neonates as maternal Ab levels decay



# Prevention

# Dengue Prevention

- Currently, the only way to prevent dengue is to prevent mosquito bites
  - Long pants, long-sleeved shirts
  - DEET
- Dengue vaccine development ongoing
- Vaccine must be effective against all 4 serotypes of dengue (tetravalent)

# What can we expect from dengue vaccine development?

Stephen Whitehead, 13 January 2015

Demystifying Medicine Lecture



# Important considerations for a dengue vaccine

1. **Dengue disease is caused by any of 4 different serotypes - an effective vaccine must protect against all four viruses**
2. **Infection with one serotype is likely to confer life-long immunity to the homologous serotype and the strains within that serotype**
3. **Sequential infection with different serotypes leads to a broadly neutralizing antibody response**



# Important considerations for a dengue vaccine



Most of the millions of adults on the streets of Vietnam are dengue immune.

How did they get that way?

Can we safely induce this immunity in children?



(Vaccination responses change over time)

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- In endemic areas, dengue immunity is most likely acquired by sequential infections, the majority of which are asymptomatic
- This leads to polyclonal neutralizing antibody with broad specificity to all 4 DENV serotypes

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(2 – 7 year Interval)	Vaccine serotype	Day 0	Day 42	% Sero-conversion
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	DEN 1	< 10		
	DEN 2	< 10		
	DEN 3	< 10		

**Homotypic**

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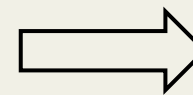


*But wait!  
Dengue immunity acquired  
by sequential infection is  
not without its problems.*

Primary  
infection



Secondary  
infection  
(different serotype)



Possibility of enhanced  
disease



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4. Secondary DENV infection with a different serotype is strongly associated with severe disease
5. There is no established correlate of protection against DENV: is it neutralizing antibody? cell-mediated immunity? both?
6. No usable animal model for DENV disease
7. Previously no human challenge model to test vaccine efficacy

# Why develop a live attenuated DENV vaccine?

- Successful for other flaviviruses: YFV and JEV
- Induces both humoral and cellular immune responses
- Presents antigens and epitopes in their native conformation
- Expected to induce lifelong immunity
- Can be very economical to produce
- Highly immunogenic, requiring only one dose

# Dosing of live virus vaccines

Vaccine		Primary doses
Mumps, measles, rubella		1
Japanese encephalitis virus		1
Yellow fever virus		1
Adenovirus		1
Smallpox		1
Zoster vaccine		1
Varicella virus		1 or 2
Mucosal administration {	Influenza virus	1 (2 doses ages 2 – 8)
	Polio virus	1 - 3
	Rotavirus (pentavalent)	3



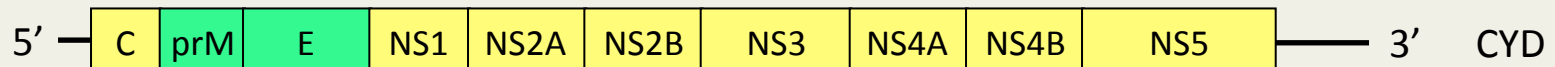


# Current DENV vaccine “pipeline”

## Live attenuated vaccines

### Sanofi Pasteur / Acambis

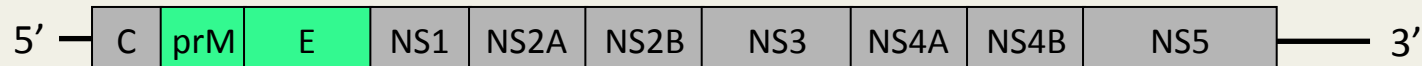
Recombinant YF-17D based chimeric LAV (CYD)



Recently completed efficacy trials in Asia and the Americas

### Takeda / Inviragen / CDC

Recombinant DENV-2 (PDK-53) – based chimeric LAV



Phase II, age descending – Colombia, PR, Singapore, Thailand

### LID / NIAID

Recombinant DENV based on  $\Delta 30$  mutation



# Current DENV vaccine “pipeline”

## Inactivated / subunit vaccines

### Merck & Co. / Hawaii Biotech

- Recombinant, truncated E protein. Four components.
- Phase 1 tetravalent (ISCOMATRIX) – Australia. 3 doses. Results pending

### GSK / WRAIR

- Purified, inactivated virus. Four components
- Phase I tetravalent (ASO1 and ASO3) – US and Puerto Rico

Tetravalent response in 92 - 100% of naïve subjects after 2 doses

*Schmidt, et al., 2013, ASTMH*

### NMRC

- prM / E DNA preparation. Four components.
- Phase I with DENV-1. **Low rate of seroconversion (42%)**

# 3 Sanofi Pasteur Efficacy Trials

2:1 randomization for vaccine or placebo  
3 doses: 0, 6, 12 months --> 13 month follow up

## Thailand (CYD 23):

N = 3673 children 4 – 11 years old

**Overall efficacy = 30% (By serotype: 56, 9, 75, 100%)**

*Sabchareon, et al., 2012, The Lancet*

## Indonesia, Malaysia, Philippines, Thailand, and Vietnam (CYD 14):

N = 10060 children 2 - 14 years old

**Overall efficacy = 57% (By serotype: 50, 35, 78, 67%)  
(67% reduction in hospitalization)**

*Capeding, et al., 2014, The Lancet*

## Brazil, Colombia, Mexico, Honduras and Puerto Rico (CYD 15):

N = 20875 children 9 - 16 years old

**Overall efficacy = 61% (By serotype: 50, 42, 74, 78%)  
(80% reduction in hospitalization)**

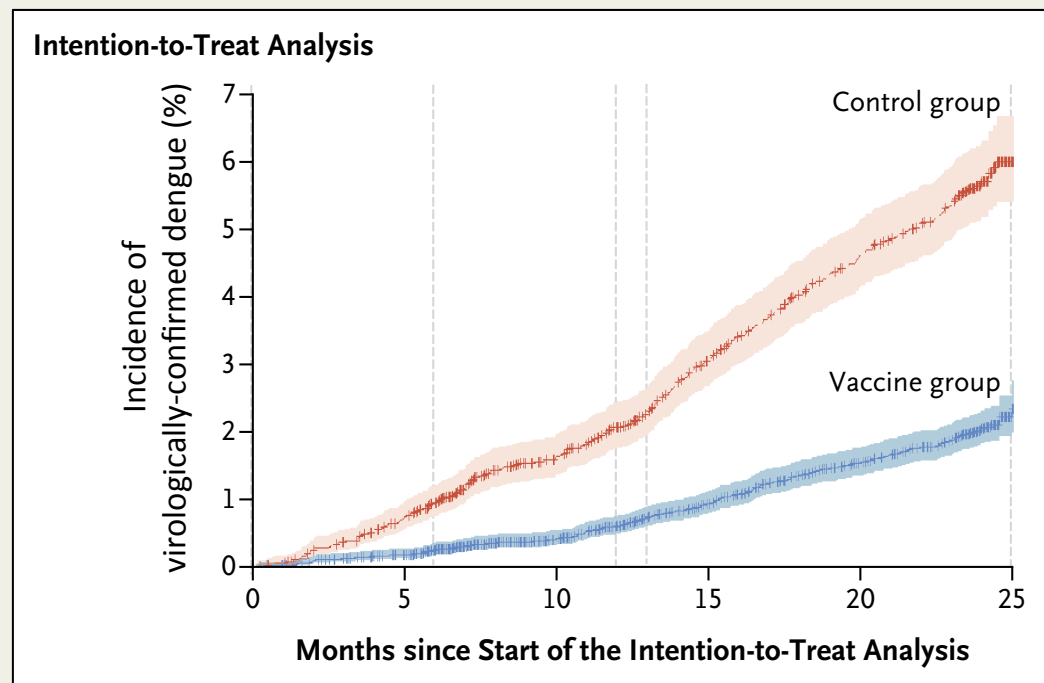
*Villar, et al., 2014, NEJM*

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**Efficacy begins after the first dose and continues for at least 24 months**

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**Analysis from the supplemental material (ITT):**

Dengue serostatus at baseline	Vaccine efficacy %
Seropositive	84
Seronegative	43

Villar, *et al.*, 2014, NEJM

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		DEN1	DEN2	DEN3	DEN4	?	
All	79	109	84	106	83	14	65
Brazil	74	9	0	0	72	0	78
Colombia	92	58	33	67	9	2	68
Honduras	86	6	20	39	0	9	71
Mexico	53	25	30	0	1	2	31
Puerto Rico	56	11	1	0	1	1	58

Villar, *et al.*, 2014, NEJM

✓ **Why does the circulating serotype matter?**

# Antibody responses after multiple doses

All studies in flavivirus-naïve subjects:

Vaccine	N	Dose	Mean titer (GMT) (PRNT <sub>50</sub> )			
			DEN1	DEN2	DEN3	DEN4
CYD Adults US	101	1	9	13	23	643
		2				
		3				
CYD 9 – 16 yrs MX, CO, HN, PR	200+	1	8	15	40	120
		2				
		3				

Dayan. *et al.* 2013  
4444 dose

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		2	19	32	40	164
		3	24	47	43	134
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		3	30	100	120	100

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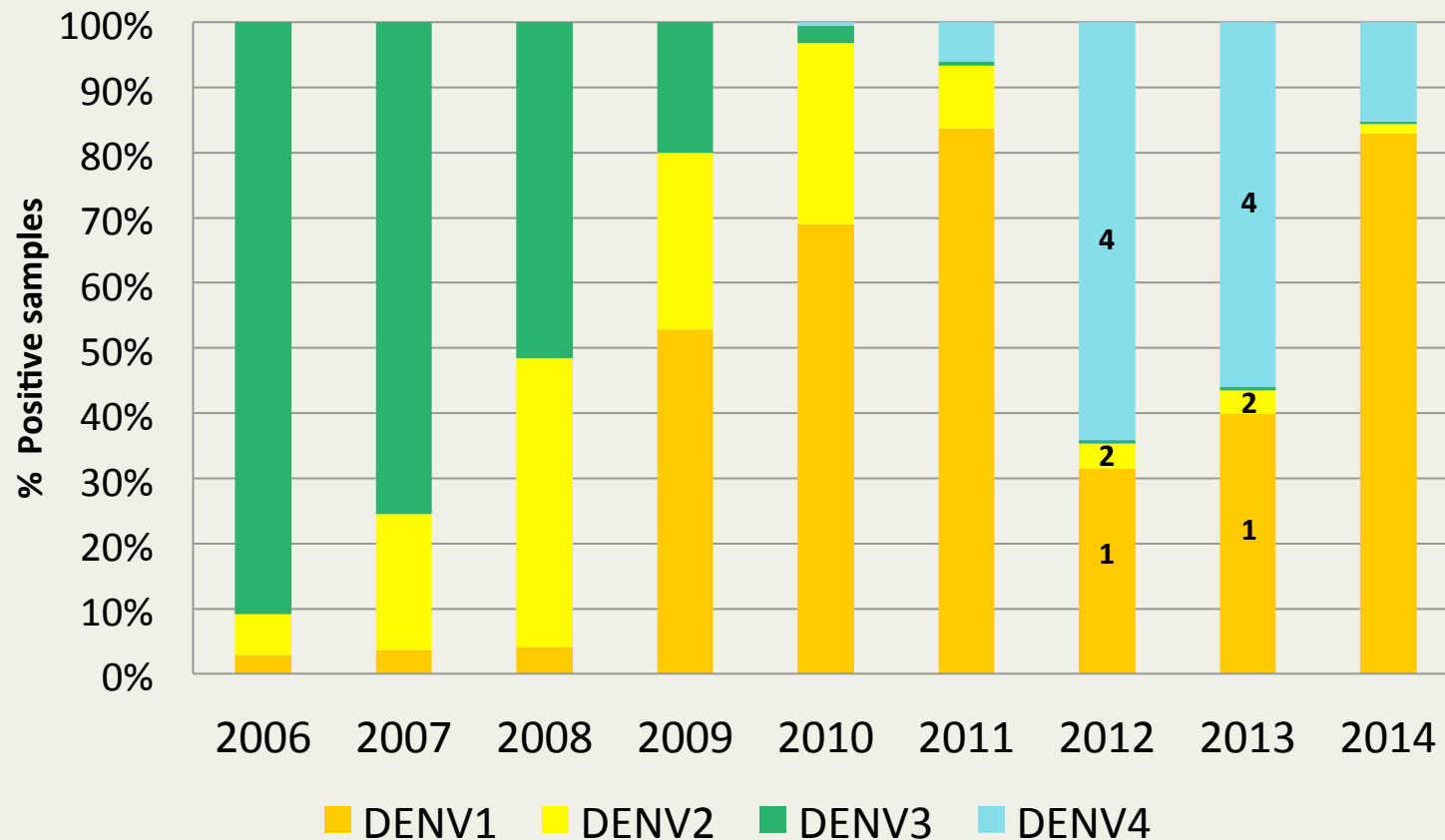
## **CYD is principally a DEN4 vaccine**

DEN4 response is not boosted at second and third dose

DEN1, DEN2, DEN3 responses increase after subsequent doses



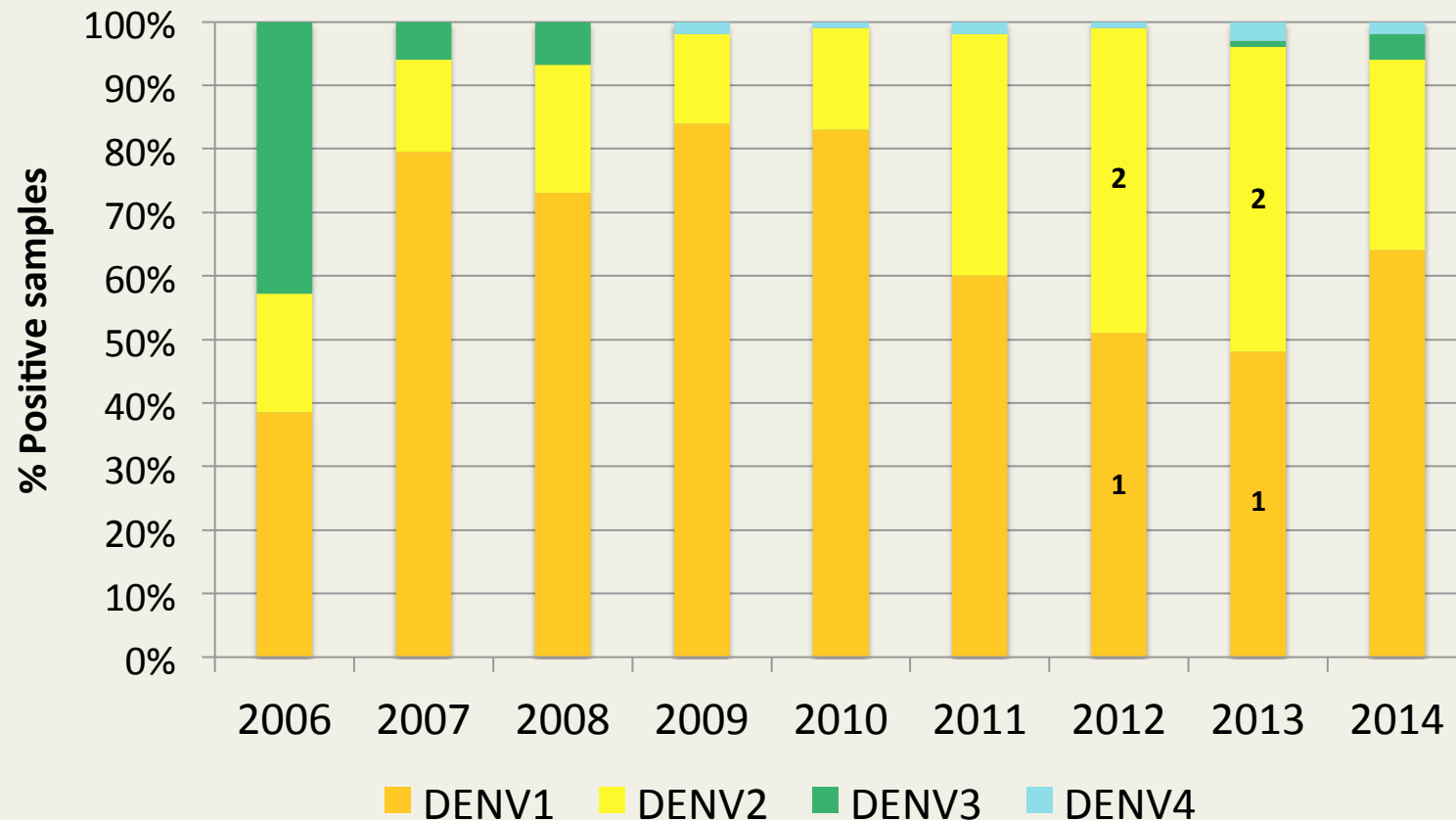
# DENV serotype distribution in Brazil



Health Surveillance Secretariat – SVS, Ministry of Health of Brazil, Giovanini Coelho

**Efficacy of CYD in Brazil = 78% (74% of subjects were DENV seropositive on Day 0)**  
**Predominant strain circulating in 2012 – 2013 was DEN4**

# DENV serotype distribution in Mexico



[http://www.epidemiologia.salud.gob.mx/dgae/panodengue/historicos\\_dengue.html](http://www.epidemiologia.salud.gob.mx/dgae/panodengue/historicos_dengue.html)

**Efficacy of CYD in Mexico = 31% (53% of subjects were DENV seropositive on Day 0)**  
**Predominant strains circulating in 2012 – 2013 were DEN1 & DEN2**

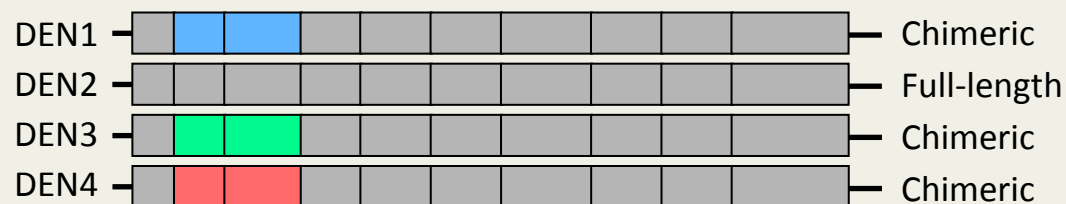
# Sanofi CYD conclusions

- Principally a monovalent DEN4 vaccine
- DENV priming required for greatest efficacy
- Sequential vaccination strategy
- Low rate of seroconversion in DENV-naïve  
3 doses provides tetravalent response in 78%

*Villar, et al. 2011. Ped. Inf. Dis. J. Oct 2013.*

- CD8+ response directed against YFV non-structural proteins and is unlikely to be cross-reactive with DENV

# The Takeda / Inviragen DENVax tetravalent vaccine



## Phase I evaluation in dengue-naïve adults:

N = 96 adults age 18-45 years old

4:1 randomization for vaccine or placebo

2 dose: 0, 3 months

Low dose: 4, 4, 4, 5

High dose: 4, 5, 5, 5

Subcutaneous or intradermal route (intradermal device)

*Osorio, et al., Lancet, 24 July 2014.*

# The Takeda / Inviragen DENVax tetravalent vaccine

Frequency of tetravalent seroconversion  
(two dose)

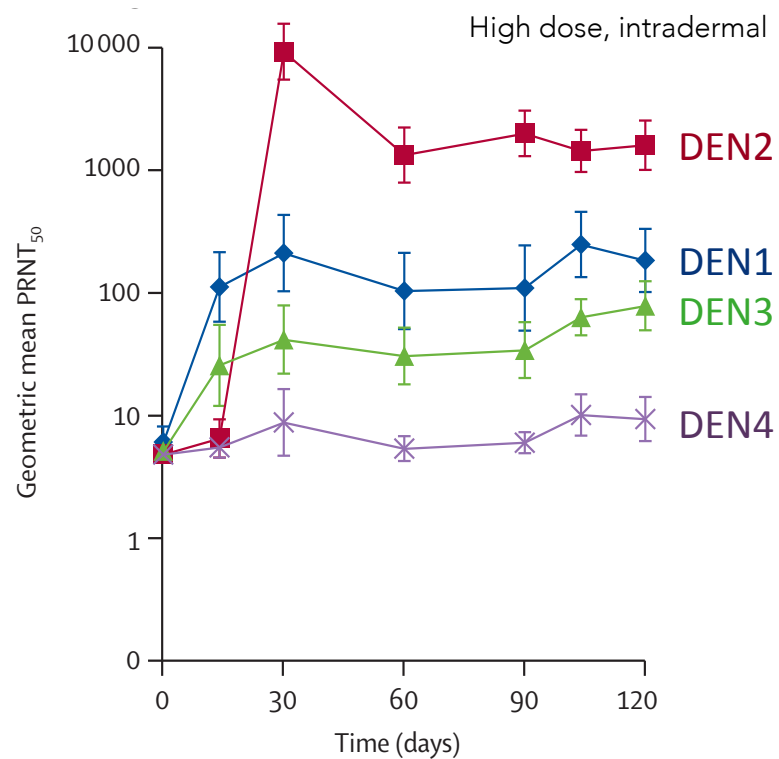
	Low dose	High dose
Subcutaneous	58%	47%
Intradermal	71%	71%

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Single-use, disposable  
Phamajet™ device

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Full-length

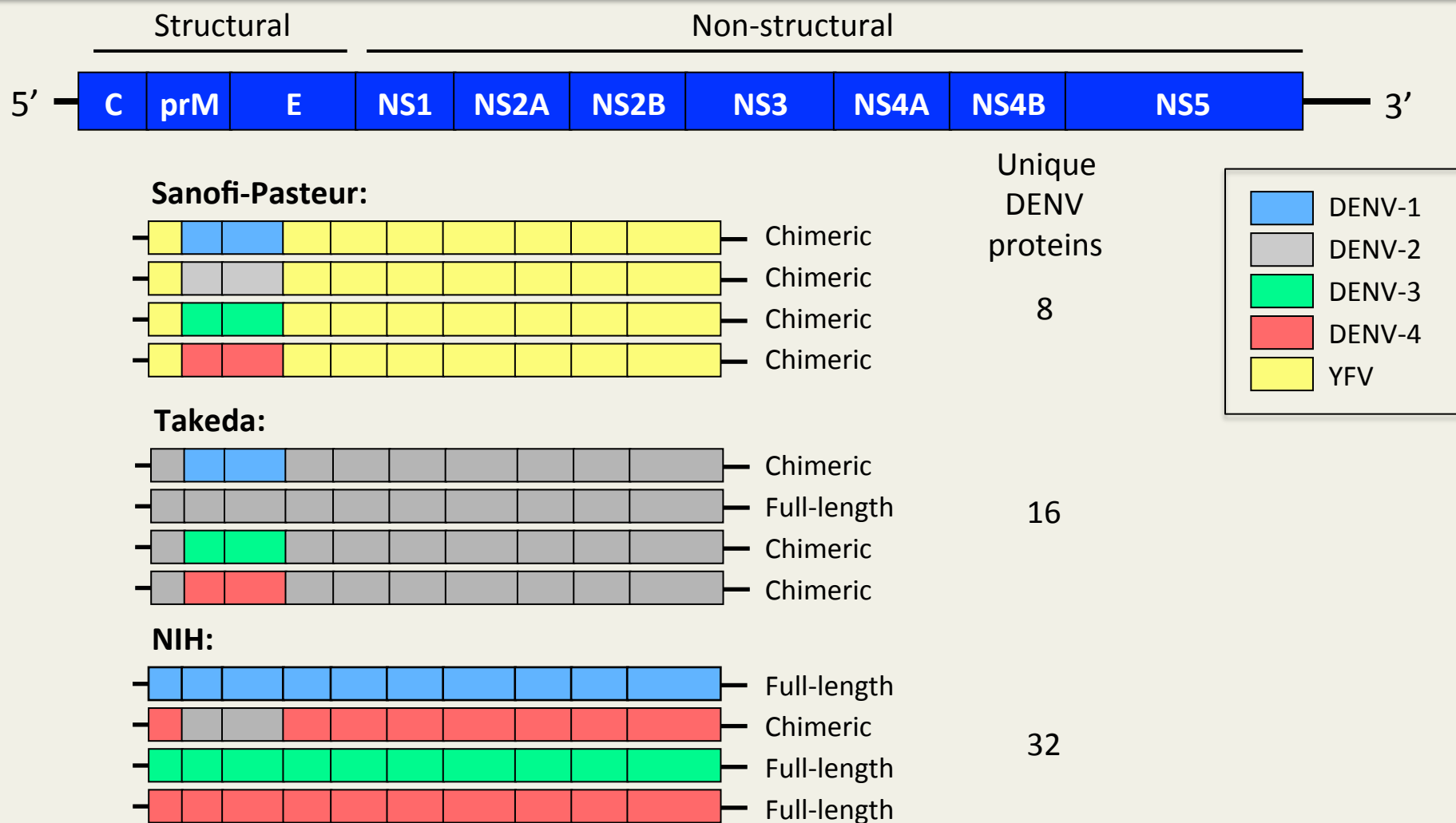
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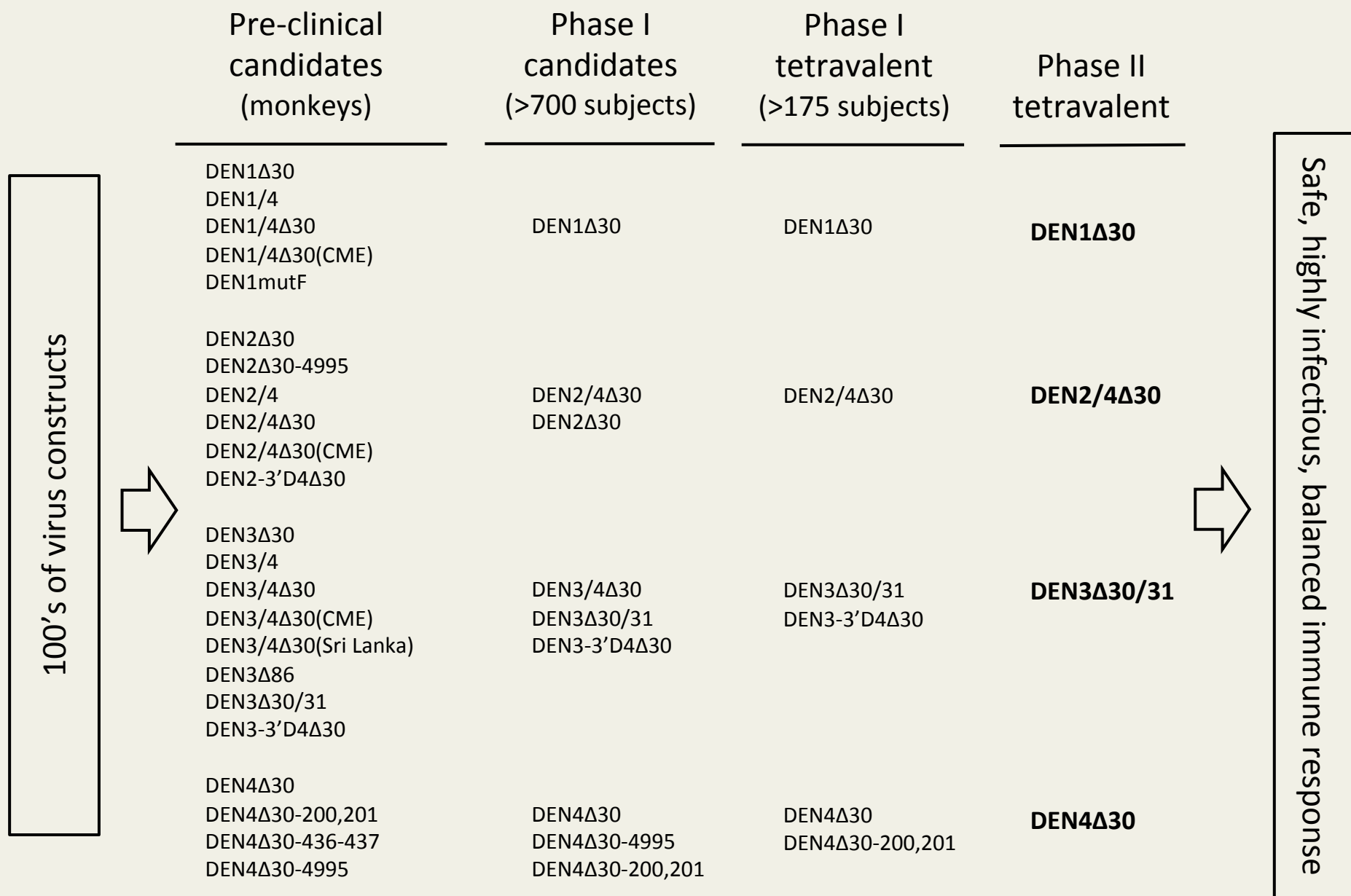
Dose 1		Mean titer (GMT) (PRNT <sub>50</sub> )			
Vaccine	N	DEN1	DEN2	DEN3	DEN4
High dose (-) Adults	24	210	9500	25	9

Osorio, *et al.*, *Lancet*, 24 July 2014.

# Recombinant live attenuated DENV vaccine strategies



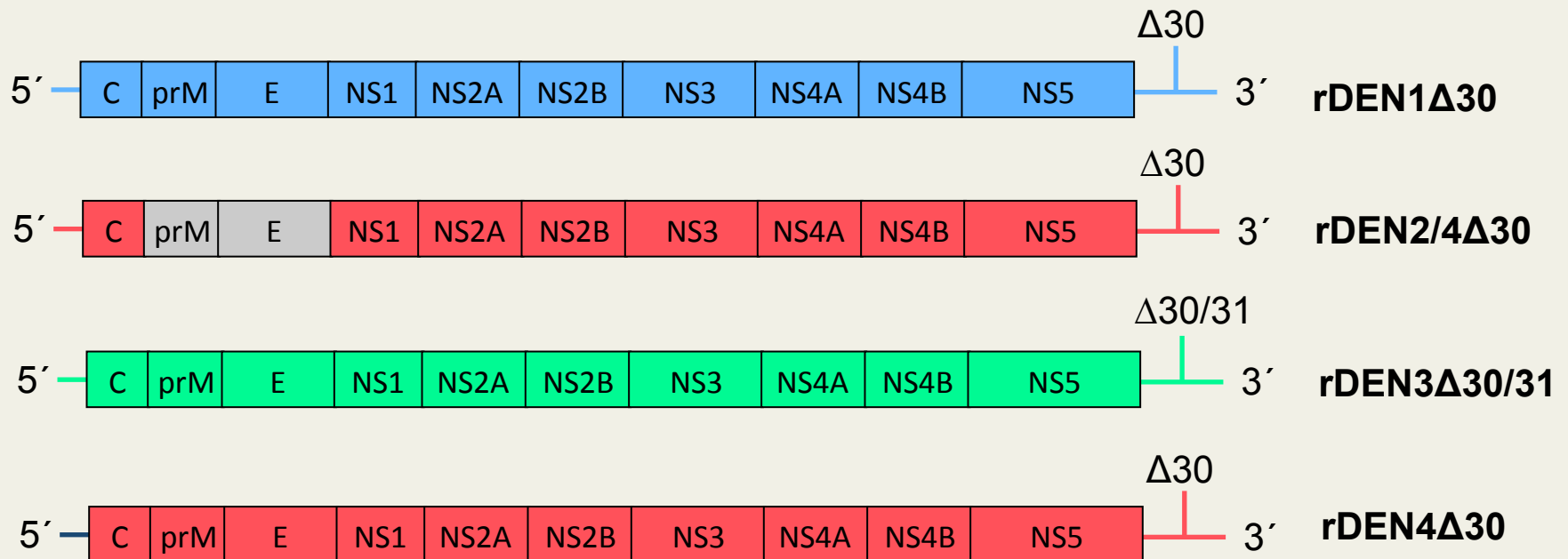
# Dengue Vaccine Development at the IID





# Tetravalent admixture

- All viruses contain wild-type structural proteins
- Contain wild-type NS from 3 of the 4 DENV serotypes
- All contain at least a 30 nt deletion in the 3' UTR



# Tetavalent studies in humans

Vaccine	Components:				Potency (log <sub>10</sub> PFU)
TV-003	DEN1Δ30	DEN2/4Δ30	DEN3Δ30/31	DEN4Δ30	3, 3, 3, 3
TV-005	DEN1Δ30	DEN2/4Δ30	DEN3Δ30/31	DEN4Δ30	3, 4, 3, 3

**Healthy adult subjects living in Baltimore, Maryland or Burlington, Vermont**

**All subjects are flavivirus naïve**

**Single, subcutaneous administration of tetavalent vaccine**

**Clinical follow-up every other day through day 16**

**Serum for viremia collected every other day**

**Serum Collection for PRNT:**

- **Initial: Days 28, 42**
- **Expanded (e): Days 28, 56, 90**

# Neutralizing antibody responses

Serum Collection for PRNT

- Initial: Days 28, 42

TV-003: 3, 3, 3, 3

TV-005: 3, 4, 3, 3

% seroconverted (PRNT <sub>50</sub> ≥ 10)						Mean peak titer (GMT) (PRNT <sub>50</sub> ≥ 10)			
Vaccine	N	DEN1	DEN2	DEN3	DEN4	DEN1	DEN2	DEN3	DEN4
TV-003	20	100	50	100	100	106	64	42	86
TV-005	20	90	60	90	100	52	63	41	76

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# Neutralizing antibody responses

Serum Collection for PRNT

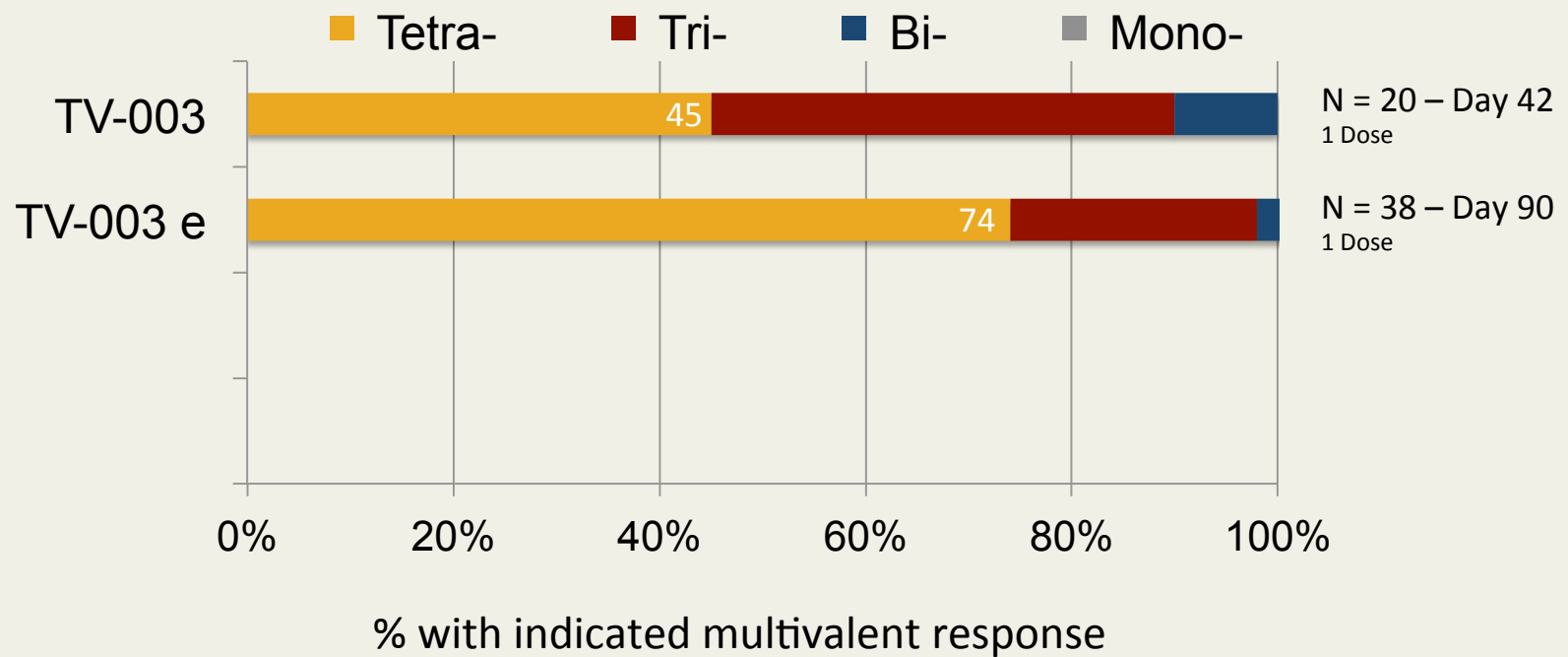
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TV-003: 3, 3, 3, 3

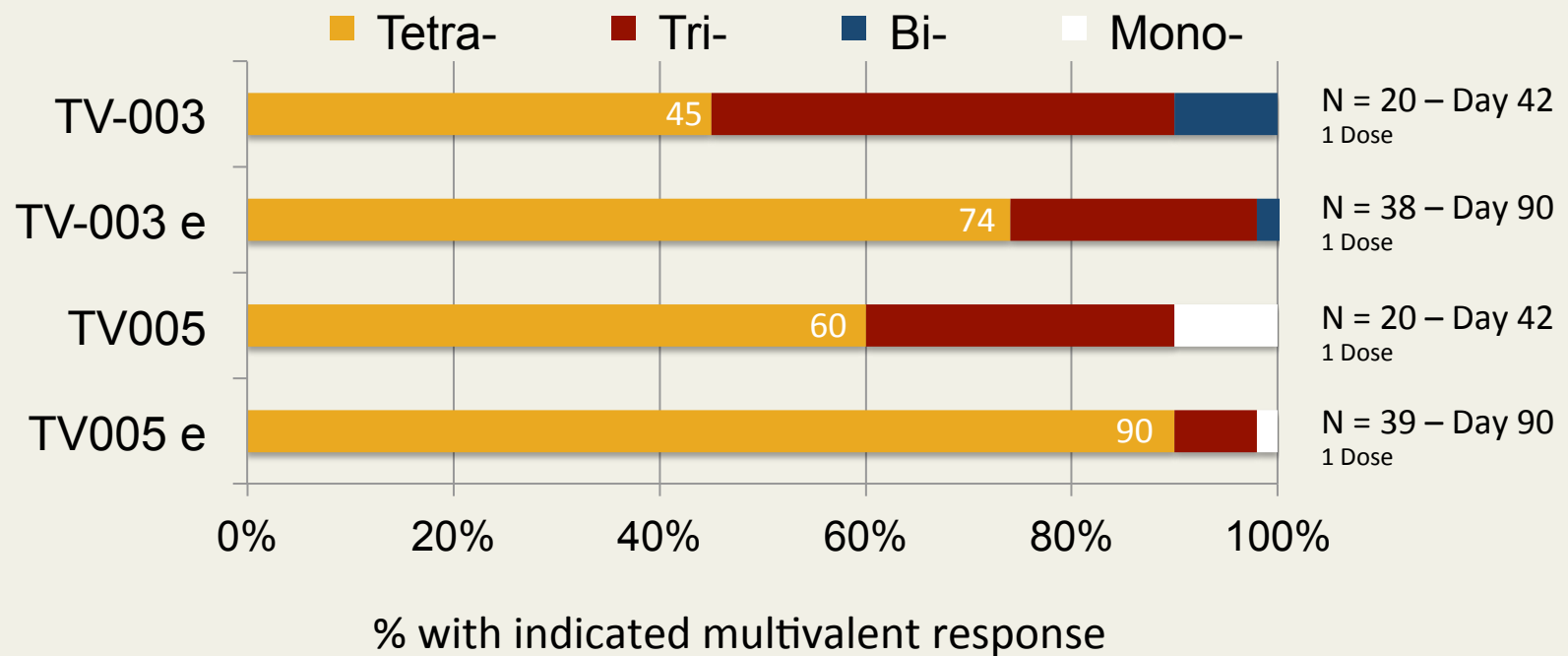
TV-005: 3, 4, 3, 3

		% seroconverted (PRNT <sub>50</sub> ≥ 10)				Mean peak titer (GMT) (PRNT <sub>50</sub> ≥ 10)			
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TV-003	20	100	50	100	100	106	64	42	86
TV-003 e	38	92	76	97	100	63	40	85	151
TV-005	20	90	60	90	100	52	63	41	76
TV005 e	39	92	97	97	97	35	91	100	205

# TV003 neutralizing antibody response



# TV003 & TV005 neutralizing antibody response

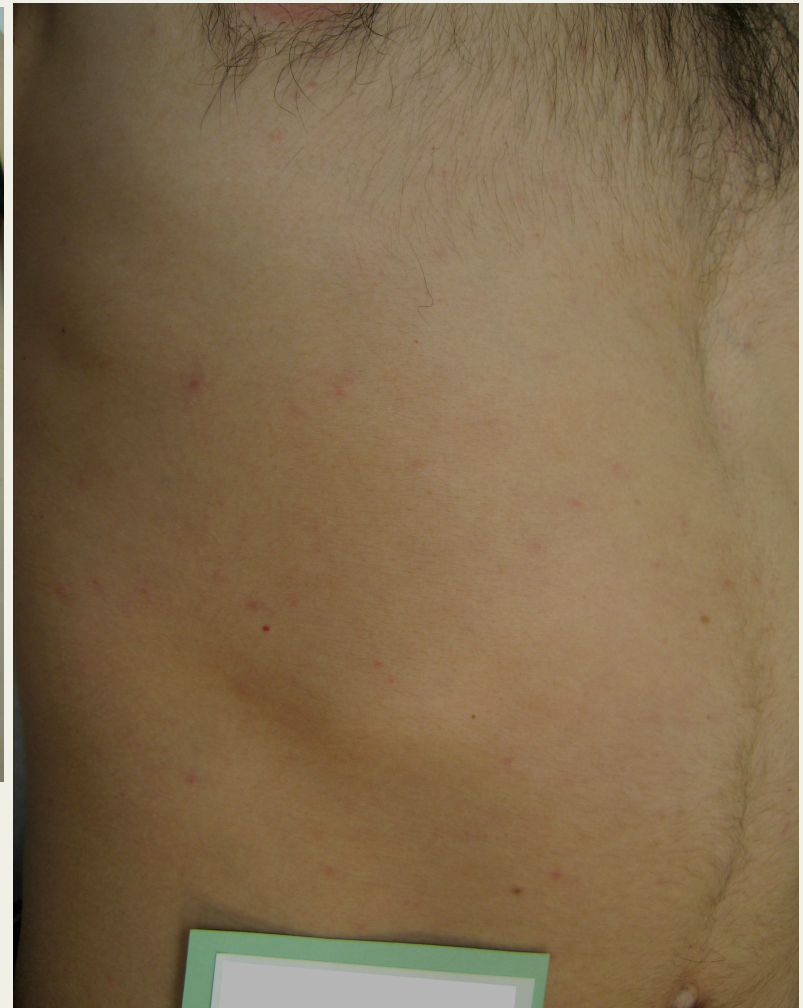


# Clinical summary of adverse events

Adverse event	TV-003 (n=40)	Placebo (n=16)	p-value	TV-005 (n=40)	Placebo (n=16)	p-value
<b><u>Injection site:</u></b>						
Erythema	5.0%	6.3%	1.0000	2.5%	0.0%	1.0000
Pain	0.0%	6.3%	0.2857	2.5%	0%	1.0000
Tenderness	5.0%	0.0%	1.0000	0.0%	6.3%	0.2857
Induration	5.0%	0.0%	1.0000	2.5%	0.0%	1.0000
<b><u>Systemic:</u></b>						
Fever	0.0%	0.0%	n/a	2.5%	0.0%	1.0000
Headache	45%	25%	0.2300	57.5%	37.5%	0.2397
<b>Rash</b>	<b>55%</b>	<b>0.0%</b>	<b>&lt; 0.0001</b>	<b>67.5%</b>	<b>0.0%</b>	<b>&lt;0.0001</b>
Neutropenia <sup>b</sup>	2.5%	6.3%	0.4935	7.5%	0%	0.5498
Elevated ALT <sup>c</sup>	5.0%	0.0%	1.0000	5.0%	6.3%	1.0000
Myalgia	7.5%	6.3%	1.0000	10.0%	6.3%	1.0000
Arthralgia	0.0%	6.3%	0.2857	0.0%	0.0%	n/a
Retro-orbital pain	5.0%	0.0%	1.0000	7.5%	12.5%	0.6172
Fatigue	20.0%	0.0%	0.0892	32.5%	31.3%	1.0000
Photophobia	0.0%	0.0%	n/a	5.0%	6.3%	1.0000
Elevated PT	2.5%	6.3%	0.4935	5.0%	6.3%	1.0000
Elevated PTT	3.6%	12.5%	0.0779	0.0%	0.0%	n/a
Thrombocytopenia	0.0%	0.0%	n/a	0.0%	0.0%	n/a



# Vaccine-associated rash - asymptomatic



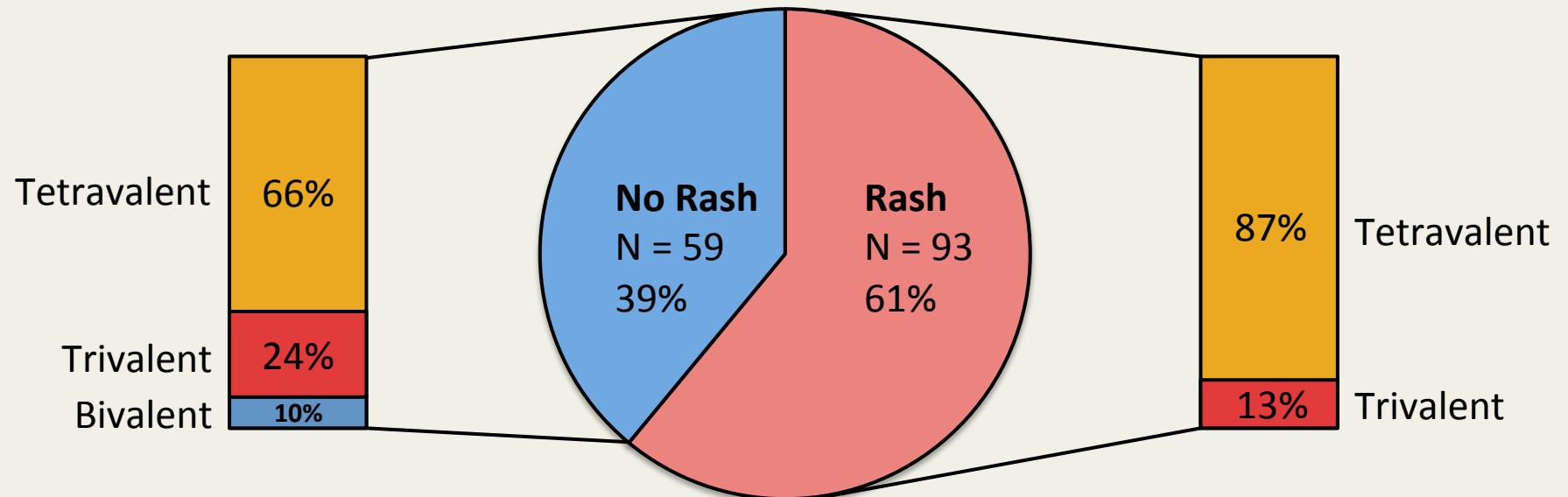
# Wild-type dengue Rash



CID 2004: 38 (15 May)

# Vaccine rash is predictive of a tetraivalent antibody response

**Tetraivalent vaccinees (TV003 and TV005)**  
N = 152



**A vaccinee is statistically more likely to have a tetraivalent antibody response if they present with a vaccine-associated rash ( $P = 0.002$ , Chi-square)**



# Vaccine rash is predictive of a tetravalent antibody response



Maybe it's a “happy” rash

Other vaccines with rash side-effects:

- MMR
- Varicella
- Zoster
- Yellow fever
- Japanese encephalitis

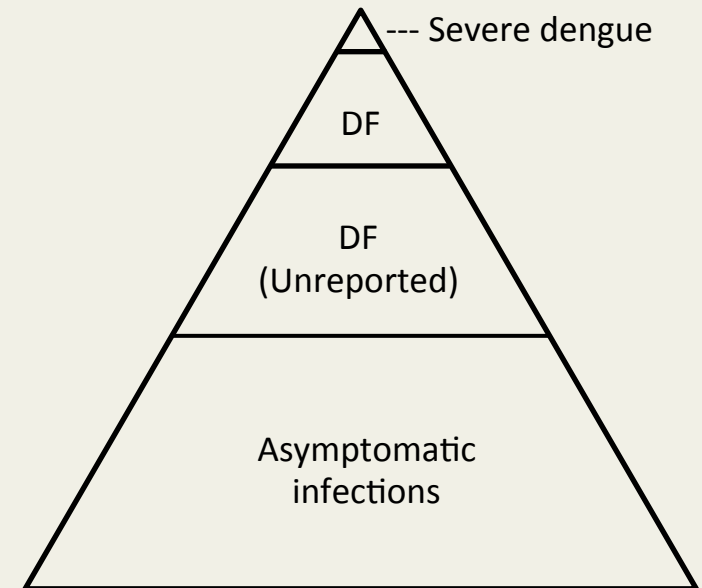
# Dengue Disease

## Dengue Fever

- Fever  
*and*
- Headache
- Retro-orbital pain
- Myalgia
- Arthralgia
- Hemorrhage
- Rash
- Leukopenia
- Neutropenia
- Elevated ALT / AST
- Viremia
- Serum Antibodies

## Severe Dengue

- Fever (2 – 7 days)  
*and*
- Thrombocytopenia  
*and*
- Petechial rash
- Bruising
- Bleeding
- Coagulopathy  
*and*
- Vascular leakage
  - Pleural effusion
  - Ascites
- Hemoconcentration



Shock Syndrome (DSS):

- Hypotension
- Shock

**One dose or two?**

**Clinical evaluation of NIAID TV-005**  
**Two dose (6 months apart)**  
**Neutralizing antibody: 1 - 3 months post vaccination**

<b>TV-005e</b>		<b>% seroconverted (PRNT<sub>50</sub> ≥ 10)</b>				<b>Mean peak titer (GMT)</b>			
<b>Vaccine</b>	<b>N</b>	<b>DEN1</b>	<b>DEN2</b>	<b>DEN3</b>	<b>DEN4</b>	<b>DEN1</b>	<b>DEN2</b>	<b>DEN3</b>	<b>DEN4</b>
<b>Dose 1</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>205</b>
<b>6 months after Dose 1:</b>						<b>10</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>39</b>
<b>Dose 1 + 2</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>75</b>
<b>Fold change after dose 2:</b>						<b>1.6x</b>	<b>1.4x</b>	<b>1.4x</b>	<b>1.9x</b>

<b>Vaccine</b>	<b>First dose</b>		<b>Second dose</b>	
	<b>Viremia</b>	<b>Rash</b>	<b>Viremia</b>	<b>Rash</b>
<b>TV-005</b>	<b>70%</b>	<b>68%</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>0%</b>

Nearly sterilizing immunity at 6 months post vaccination = minimal antibody boost

# Live attenuated dengue vaccines

	Sanofi-Pasteur	Takeda	NIH
Doses	3	2	1
Potency (log <sub>10</sub> per serotype)	5, 5, 5, 5	4, 4, 4, 5	3, 4, 3, 3
% tetravalent response (DEN-naïve subjects & SQ)	78%*	58%**	90%
CD8 T-cell epitopes	YFV	DEN2	DEN1, 3, 4
Clinical phase	3	2	2
Overall efficacy	30 – 61%	?	?

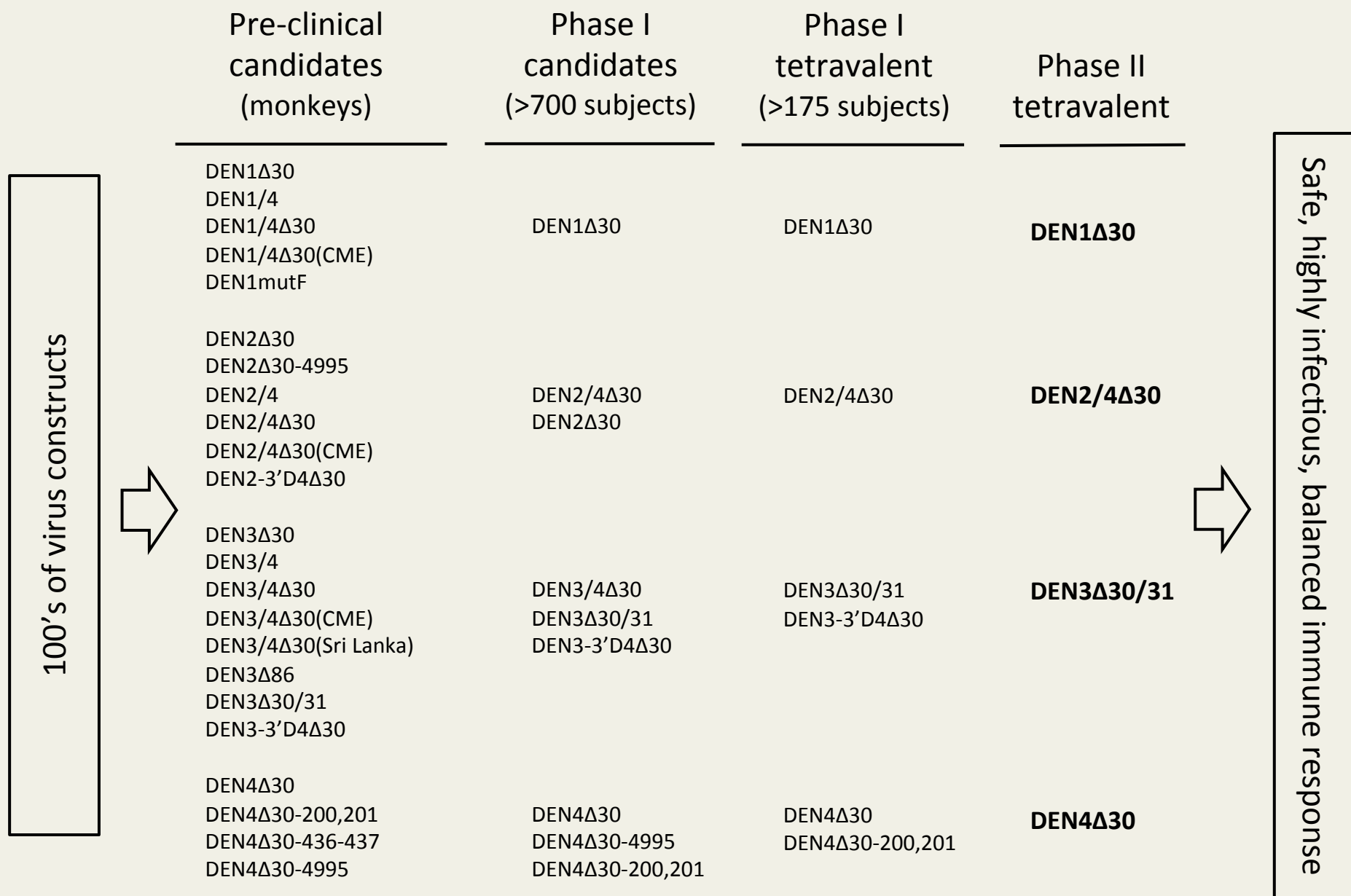
\* Villar, et al. 2011. *Ped. Inf. Dis. J.* Oct 2013.

\*\* Osorio, et al., *Lancet*, July 2014.



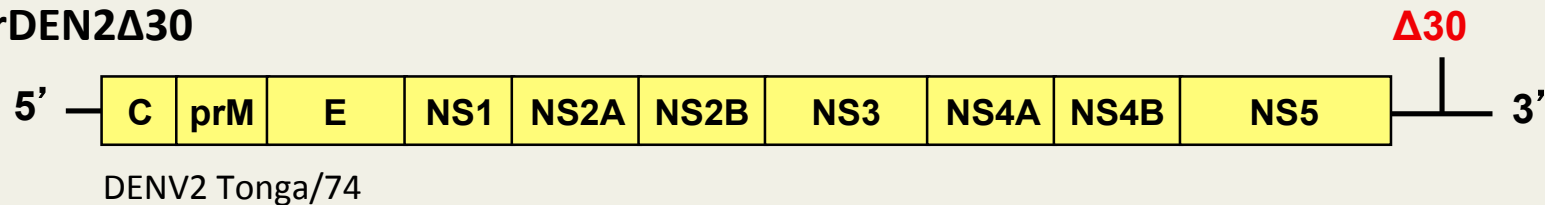
# **DENV challenge of vaccinees**

# Dengue Vaccine Development at the LID



# rDEN2 $\Delta$ 30

rDEN2 $\Delta$ 30



## DEN2 $\Delta$ 30 developed as candidate DENV-2 vaccine

- Derived from Tonga/74: Isolated from DENV-2 outbreak that caused milder disease and lower levels of viremia
- Different genotype than DENV-2 in TV003
- Was less attenuated in rhesus macaques compared with rDEN2/4 $\Delta$ 30

# DEN2Δ30 in healthy volunteers

- 10 subjects received  $10^3$  pfu of rDEN2/4Δ30
- 10/10 subjects with viremia
- 8/10 subjects with rash
  - Character of rash different: more diffuse, pruritic
  - 50% moderate in intensity
- 4/10 subjects with neutropenia
  - Moderate in 2 subjects (ANC nadir =  $592/\text{mm}^3$  and  $695/\text{mm}^3$ , both day 11)
  - Mild in 2 subjects (ANC nadir =  $806/\text{mm}^3$  and  $961/\text{mm}^3$ , both day 11)
- **No subject developed fever, elevated LFTs, or signs vascular leak**

# Vaccine Challenge Study

Adverse event	DEN2Δ30 (n=20)	Placebo (n=14)	p-value
<u>Injection site:</u>			
Erythema	0.0%	0.0%	n/a
Pain	0.0%	10.7%	0.1062
Tenderness	0.0%	3.6%	0.4828
Induration	0.0%	0.0%	n/a
<u>Systemic:</u>			
Fever	0.0%	0.0%	n/a
Headache	40.0%	21.4%	0.1613
<b>Rash</b>	<b>80.0%</b>	<b>0.0%</b>	<b>&lt;0.0001</b>
<b>Neutropenia</b>	<b>26.7%</b>	<b>0.0%</b>	<b>0.0047</b>
Elevated ALT	3.3%	3.6%	1.0000
Myalgia	20.0%	7.1%	0.2555
Arthralgia	10.0%	0.0%	0.2377
<b>Retro-orbital Pain</b>	<b>30.0%</b>	<b>0.0%</b>	<b>0.0020</b>
Fatigue	26.7%	17.9%	0.5432
Prolonged PT	6.7%	14.3%	0.4155
Prolonged PTT	0.0%	7.1%	0.2287
Thrombocytopenia	6.7%	0.0%	0.4918

<sup>A</sup> CIR268 and CIR 287 combined

# DEN2Δ30 rash



DEN2Δ30



Typical DENV vaccine rash

# Viremia summary rDEN2Δ30

Virus	Dose (log <sub>10</sub> PFU)	N	% with viremia	Mean peak titer ± SE (range) <sup>1</sup>	Mean day of onset of viremia ± SE	Mean # days of viremia ±SE
rDEN2Δ30	3	10	100 <sup>2</sup>	2.5 ± 0.2 <sup>3</sup> (1.5 - 3.3)	4.6 ± 0.4 <sup>3</sup>	5.8 ± 0.6 <sup>3</sup>
rDEN2/4Δ30	3	40	60 <sup>2</sup>	0.5 ± 0.03 <sup>3</sup> (0.5 - 1.2)	9.2 ± 0.6 <sup>3</sup>	3.3 ± 0.6 <sup>3</sup>

1. log<sub>10</sub> PFU/mL
2. Statistically significant (p=0.02)
3. Statistically significant (α = 0.01)

## Challenge strain vs. vaccine strain:

- Viremia 100-fold higher
- Onset of viremia earlier
- Duration of viremia longer

# Evaluation of vaccine efficacy

- 48 subjects enrolled: 24 receive TV003 and 24 receive placebo as single dose
- 6 months later all 48 receive  $10^3$  PFU DEN2 $\Delta$ 30
  - Primary efficacy endpoint is protection against viremia with DEN2 $\Delta$ 30 (60% efficacy at a power of 0.8)
  - Secondary efficacy endpoints are protection against rash and neutropenia
- Samples collected every other day for 16 days then at days 21, 28, 56, 90, and 150 post vaccination and same schedule post challenge



# DENV-2 Vaccine Challenge Study

Viremia post-challenge with DEN2Δ30						
Cohort	N	Frequency of viremia	Mean peak Viremia*	Viremia range*	Mean day of onset	Mean duration (days)
Placebo	19	100%	2.3 ± 0.1	1.5 – 2.9	4.9 ± 0.6	5.4 ± 0.5
TV-003	21	0%	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a

Rash presentation post-challenge with DEN2Δ30					
Cohort	N	Frequency of rash	Mean day of onset	Mean duration (days)	Intensity
Placebo	19	84%	9.3	7.6	32% moderate 68% mild
TV-003	21	0%	n/a	n/a	n/a

➤ **TV-003 provides 100% efficacy against DEN2 challenge viremia and rash**

# DENV-2 Vaccine Challenge Study

Vaccine	N	% seroconverted (PRNT <sub>50</sub> ≥ 10)				Mean peak titer (GMT)			
		DEN1	DEN2	DEN3	DEN4	DEN1	DEN2	DEN3	DEN4
TV-003	24	92	100	100	100	47	84	152	270
92% tetravalent response									
Post-Chall.	21					93			

# Summary of NIAID Vaccine

- To date:
  - 124 naïve subjects have received TV003
  - 60 naïve subjects have received TV005
- Both admixtures are safe and well-tolerated
  - Both produce similar mild vaccine rash
  - All serotypes replicate following inoculation
- Frequency of tetravalent seroconversion is highest for TV-005 admixture (>90%)
- Induces both neutralizing and T-cell immunity directed towards DENV
- Due to induction of nearly sterilizing immunity, booster dose is not necessary in the short term
- This is a live-attenuated single dose vaccine

# Licensing partners

- Merck & Co., USA
- Butantan Foundation, Sao Paulo, Brazil
- Panacea Biotech, New Delhi, India
- Vabiotech, Hanoi, Vietnam
- Additional manufacturers in India (pending)
- Additional manufacturer in Thailand (pending)
- GSK (inactivated vaccine application)